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Year Ending December 31, 1966

School District Reports

Year Ending June 30, 1966

1967

About this Report

This report is prepared and printed for your benefit and is intended to give you a complete picture of your town and schools—What has been done, where the money went, and what faces us in the future.

Town matters appear in front of the book and school affairs are recorded in the back of the book.

We endeavor each year to improve your report to make it readable and understandable. If you have any suggestions as to how we might make further improvements, please let us know.

Thank you,

YOUR TOWN OFFICERS

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SELECTMEN and other TOWN OFFICERS

of the

Town of Bedford

NEW HAMPSHIRE

of TOWN AFFAIRS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1966

and SCHOOL AFFAIRS

For the Year Ending June 30, 1966

Population, Offical 1960 Census	3,628
Population, Estimated 1967	5,000
Valuation for Tax Rate	$32,811,806.00
Town Tax Rate	$ .39 per hundred
School Tax Rate	1.79 per hundred
County Tax Rate	.12 per hundred
Total	$2.30

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TOWN OFFICERS

Representatives to the General Court

JOHN A. GRAF
JOHN J. LOXTON
RALPH M. WIGGIN, SR.

Moderator

PETER S. FREEDMAN

Selectmen

FRANK H. BARNARD, Term Expires 1967
RUSSELL C. KEELER, Term Expires 1968
ROBERT H. BROOKS, Term Expires 1969

Treasurer

C. FREEMAN SHAW

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

IRENE M. HARDY

Highway Agent

RICHARD J. RAMIG

Supervisors of the Check List

CHARLES G. HARDY
BLANCHE W. CLAPP
ROBERT J. BULLOCK

Trustees of the Trust Funds

BYRON D. PECK, Term Expires 1967
DEMERITT C. AYER, Term Expires 1968
ROBERT J. BULLOCK, Term Expires 1969

Library Trustees

ROBERT A. BAILEY, Term Expires 1967
PHYLLIS P. WOODWARD, Term Expires 1968
JOHN W. LARRABEE, Term Expires 1969

Trustees of Cemeteries

PAUL W. JOHONNETT, Term Expires 1967
BYRON D. PECK, Term Expires 1968
ROBERT J. BULLOCK, Term Expires 1969

Police

BRUNO N. VINCENT, Chief
ARTHUR F. BOSTWICK, Deputy Chief

Auditors

JOHN R. BURLEIGH (Resigned)
ROBERT A. BAILEY (Appointed)
GILLIS FRENCH (Deceased)
RICHARD B. MORGAN (Appointed)

Budget Committee

RUSSELL C. KELLER, Selectman
JACK B. MIDDLETON, School Board

1967

AUDREY G. ROBINSON, JR. EUGENE M. VAN LOAN, JR.

1968

ROBERT A. RAULERSON JOHN J. REILLY, JR.

1969

PAUL J. MANNING JOHN JACOBSON, JR.

Health Officer

WILLIAM T. HUNTER

Judges of Municipal Court

J. WALKER WIGGIN JACK B. MIDDLETON, Associate

Fire Chief

RALPH M. WIGGIN, JR.

Forest Fire Warden

RALPH M. WIGGIN JR.

Civilian Defense Director

MARY E. CARR

School Board

EARL L. TRYDER, JR.	Term Expires 1967
JACK B. MIDDLETON	Term Expires 1968
ANN S. VAN LOAN	Term Expires 1969

Planning Board

FRANK H. BARNARD	Term Expires 1967
DANA F. KELLEY	Term Expires 1967
ANDREW G. O'MALLEY	Term Expires 1968
DONALD W. WHEELER	Term Expires 1969
ALFRED J. LAMBERT	Term Expires 1969
HERBERT W. PAUL	Term Expires 1970
EUGENE M. VAN LOAN, JR.	Term Expires 1971

Board of Adjustment

CHARLES L. ABBE	Term Expires 1967
H. RICHARD SPURWAY	Term Expires 1968
CHARLES S. WOODS	Term Expires 1969
CLIFFORD J. MOODY	Term Expires 1970
ROLLAND W. McMURPHY	Term Expires 1971

Park Commissioners

RICHARD B. JAMISON	Term Expires 1967
HOWARD C. HANSEN	Term Expires 1968
DAVID C. LEAVITT	Term Expires 1969

Town Conservation Commission

HELEN K. SMITH	Term Expires 1967
LYDIA L. KENNARD	Term Expires 1968
BERNICE E. ELLIS	Term Expires 1969

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bedford in the County of Hillsborough in said State of New Hampshire; qualified to vote in Town Affairss

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next, at 7:30 o'clock in the forenoon to set upon the following Articles:

Article 1. To elect necessary town officers and school officers for the ensuing year and ensuing three years.

Article 2. Shall the Zoning Ordinance as amended by adding Article VII A, Commercial, Limited Commercial, and Neighborhood Commercial Districts; "General Regulations", as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 3. Shall the Zoning Ordinance as amended by deleting Article VII and adding Article VII B, Commercial District, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 4. Shall the Zoning Ordinance as amending Article VIII Limited Commercial, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 5. Shall the Zoning Ordinance by amending Article VIII A Neighborhood Commercial, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 6. Shall the Zoning Ordinance as amended by adding Article VIII B, Highway Commercial, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 7. Shall the Zoning Ordinance as amended by adding Paragraph "S" to Article XVII, Definition: Gasoline Service Station; and Paragraph "T", Buffer Strip, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 8. Shall the Zoning Amendment, to reclassify the land on the East Side of Route 3 abutting the Dunfey land to the North for a distance of approximately 142 feet, now part of the Groulx Estate, from Residental-Agricultural to Commercial, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 9. Shall the Zoning Amendment to reclassify the land on the West Side of Route 3 from the entrance ramp of the 101 By-pass North to Kilton Lane for a depth of 800 to 900 feet, from Residential-Agricultural to Limited Commercial as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 10. Shall the Zoning Amendment to reclassify the land on the West Side of Route 3, beginning at Kilton Lane North for a distance of approximately 665 feet and a depth of approximately 445 feet, from Residential-Agricultural to Limited Commercial, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Article 11. Shall the Zoning Amendment to reclassify the land on the West Side of Route 3 abutting Weston Associates on the South and the Richard Taylor land on the North for a depth of approximately 300 feet, from the Residential-Agricultural to Limited Commercial as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town?

Voting on above Articles shall be by written ballot. Polls are to open at 7:30 A.M. and are not to close earlier than 6:00 P.M.

Action on the remaining Articles will be at the McKelvie School at 8:00 P.M.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year:

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 10,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	5,900.00
Election and Registration	500.00
Municipal Court	1,000.00
Town Hall and other Town Buildings	4,500.00
Reappraisal of Property, Balance 1966 a/c	10,110.55
Retirement and Social Security	3,000.00
Fire Department	9,845.00

Pine Blister Rust Control	100.00
Board of Adjustment	50.00
Damages and Legal Expense	750.00
Civil Defense	820.00
Health Department	100.00
Vital Statistics	200.00
Town Dump	1,000.00
Gravel Account	4,500.00
Summer Maintenance of Highways and Bridges	18,500.00
Tarring Class V Highways	18,500.00
Street Lighting	2,760.00
General Expense of Highway andWinter	41,500.00
Library	8,483.00
Town Welfare	500.00
Old Age Assistance	7,000.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Aid to Soldiers and their Families	500.00
Cemeteries	1,700.00
Care of Clock	50.00
Interest on Long Term Notes	630.00
Payment on Principal, New Fire Station	7,000.00
Planning Commission Dues	340.00
	$159,888.55

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes if needed, and raise and appropriate a sum of One Thousand dollars ($1,000.00) for the payment of interest on such borrowing.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Eighty-seven cents ($1518.87) for the construction of Class V Highways within the Town, provided that the State of New Hampshire shall contribute Ten Thousand One Hundred Twenty-five Dollars and Seventy-seven Cents ($10,125.77) toward such construction.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-eight Thousand One Hundred Twenty-nine Dollars ($28,129.00) to operate and maintain the Town Police Department.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) to apply to

the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a new Fire Truck.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars ($3,000.00) to apply to the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a Road Grader.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($2,500.00) to apply to the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a Tractor Loader.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($1,200.00) for use by the Planning Board.

Article 20. To see of the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-five Dollars ($20,825.00) to design and construct an addition to the present Bedford Library.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) to replace the furnace in and repaint the existing Bedford Library. (Submitted without recommendation of the Budget Committee)

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Eighty Dollars ($780.00) to purchase new Carpeting for the reception and reference rooms of the Bedford Library. (Submitted without recommendation by the Budget Committee)

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to engage the State Tax Commission to conduct an annual appraisal and evaluation of new construction in the Town as reflected by the number of issued permits, and to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars ($750.00) to reimburse the Tax Commission for this service.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to convert the lower floor of the Town Hall for use as Town Offices and a Court Room, and to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00) for this purpose. (Submitted without recommendation by the Budget Committee)

Article 25. In the event the foregoing Article is not adopted: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Nineteen Thousand Dollars ($19,000.00) for the purpose of converting the Stevens-Buswell School Building for use as Town Offices and providing Chambers in the lower floor of the Town Hall for the Municipal Court Judge, provided the School District votes to transfer to the Town said School building together with adequate land for parking purposes.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept the Stevens-Buswell School property for the Town, providing the Townspeople so vote at the School District Meeting to be held on March 28th next.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($3,200.00) to pay half of the cost and installation of an Air Raid Warning System, the other half to be paid from matching funds from the State and Federal Agencies of Civil Defense; the three points of such a system to cover the three most populated areas of the Town, namely:

1. In a general mid-point of the Donald and Boynton Streets area.
2. In the vicinity of the Peter P. Woodbury School.
3. In Bedford Center.

(Submitted without recommendation by the Budget Committee)

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a 15½ acre tract of land and the building thereon, known as the Havey Property, to be used as a Town Park and Recreation Area, and to appropriate the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars ($60,000.00) for this purpose, such sum to be raised by the issuance of serial notes of the Town, payable over a five year period in equal annual amounts, pursuant to the provisions of N.H. RSA Ch. 33:8 (the Municipal Finance Act); and to authorize the Selectmen of the Town to negotiate said notes in the name of the Town bearing interest in an amount not to exceed four percent (4%) per annum, payable annually.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to consider an ordinance prohibiting dogs from running at large within the corporate

limits of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire; authorizing the impounding of dogs running at large, whether licensed or unlicensed; authorizing the impounding of barking dogs, redemption of impounded dogs; and providing a penalty for violating the ordinance as proposed. (By Petition)

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) from Earl M. Isham for cemetery lots No. 168A and No. 169A under the name of Earl M. and Rose R. Isham to be placed in trust, the income to be expended for the care and maintenance of the same in the Bedford Center Cemetery.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of One Hundred Twenty-five Dollars ($125.00) from Curtis Pecker for cemetery lot No. 24 under the name of Curtis Pecker to be placed in trust, the income to be expended for the care and maintenance of the same in the Bedford Center Cemetery.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) from the estate of Ernest L. Buswell for the Imogene M. Buswell cemetery lot No. 257 to be placed in trust, the income to be expended for the care and maintenance of the same in the Bedford Center Cemetery.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) from Rev. Frank C. Morse for the Imogene M. Buswell cemetery lot No. 257 to be placed in trust, the income to be expended for the care and maintenance of the same in the Bedford Center Cemetery.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) from the estate of Nellie A. Hodgman for the Clinton P. Hodgman cemetery lot No. 25 to be placed in trust, the income to be expended for the care and maintenance of the same in the Bedford Center Cemetery.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to accept Birchwood Circle for a distance of approximately 2,850 feet.

To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and other officers heretofore chosen, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 27th day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty seven.

FRANK H. BARNARD,
RUSSELL C. KEELER,
ROBERT H. BROOKS,
Selectmen of Bedford

A true copy of Warrant, Attest:

FRANK H. BARNARD,
RUSSELL C. KEELER,
ROBERT H. BROOKS,
Selectmen of Bedford

BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT
ON
TOWN BUDGET

Civil Defense Siren Article

The Budget Committee *does not recommend* passage of this Article. It is the same article that was turned down last year at the Town Meeting. Without the benefit of any new information or complete operating details, it was felt that this item was fiscally unsound.

Library Special Article I

Library Addition—The Budget Committee *recommends* passage of this article and further stipulates that the amount of $20,-825.00 be raised by the issuance of notes over a five year period.

Library Special Article II

New Boiler—The Budget Committee *does not recommend* passage of this article. This item becomes unnecessary by the adoption of the article for the addition.

Library Special Article III

Carpeting—The Budget Committee *does not recommend* passage of this article. This item becomes unnecessary by the adoption of the article for the addition.

Recreation Article

This item appears in the budget only to provide legal means for its consideration at the Town Meeting. The Budget Committee *does not reccommend* purchasing the Havey Property as the price is excessive.

Town Hall Article

The Budget Committee *does not recommend* passage of this Article. We concur with the recommendation of the Study Committee.

Stevens-Buswell School

The Budget Committee *recommends* passage of this Article and stipulates the amount of $19,000.00 be raised by the issuance of notes over a five year period.

JOHN J. REILLY, JR.,
Chairman

TOWN OF BEDFORD

Dog Ordinance as Proposed

"Authorizing the impounding of dogs running at large, whether licensed or unlicensed; authorizing the impounding of barking dogs; redemption of impounded dogs; and providing a penalty for violation of the ordinance."

Section 1. *Definition of Terms.* As used in this ordinance, unless the context otherwise indicates.

(a) "Dog" should be intended to mean both the male and female of the species.

(b) "Owner" should be intended to mean any person or persons, firm association or corporation owning, keeping or harboring a dog.

(c) "At large" shall be intended to mean off the premises of the owner and not under the control of the owner or a member of his immediate family or a person of sufficient age and strength do effectively restrain the dog either by leash or chain, not longer than six (6) feet.

Section 2. *Running at Large Prohibited.* No owner or keeper of any dog shall permit such dog, whether licensed or unlicensed, to run at large within the limits of the Town of Bedford at any time. No person will be in violation under this Section until a complaint has been registered with the Chief of Police by an aggrieved taxpayer, and said violator has been issued a warrant to restrain said animal in compliance with the terms of this ordinance. Notwithstanding anything in this article to the contrary, no person shall be compelled to keep any dog in his possession on a leash while in or upon any public street, alley, park, parkway, or other public place in the town, if at the time said dog is securely confined in an automobile.

Section 3. *"Impounding".* It shall be the duty of every police officer to apprehend any dog found running at large contrary to the provisions of Section 2 and to impound such dog in a suitable place.

Section 4. *Notice to Owner and Redemption.* If such dog has upon it the name or address of the owner, or such name or address is otherwise known, then the police department shall notify the owner within twenty four (24) hours after seizure of such dog. Notice of impounding shall be in writing, by registered mail, postage prepaid, and shall be construed as having been given at the time of posting thereof. If the dog impounded is not carrying a tag or collar bearing the name and address of its owner, and if the owner is not otherwise known, no notice shall be necessary. The owner of any dog so impounded may reclaim said dog upon payment of the sum of $2.00 per the first 24-hour period or any part thereof the dog is held, and $1.50 for each 24-hour period or any part thereof that the dog is held thereafter; provided, however, that before release to any person if the dog is not licensed, a license as required by the Town of Bedford shall be secured.

Section 5. *Fees.* The sums collected pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be accounted for and paid over to the Town Treasurer.

Section 6. *Disposition of Unclaimed Dogs.* Any dog which has been impounded and has not been redeemed by the owner shall be turned over to the nearest Animal Rescue League, provided that any dog shall be held at least four (4) days after impounding, and in those cases where it is required that notice be given the owner, held for at least four (4) days after the required notice has been given.

Section 7. *Penalty.* Any owner found violationg any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdeameanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than $5.00 nor more than $10.00 for such offense.

Section 8. *Effective Date.* This ordinance shall take effect on its passage and all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent therewith are hereby repealed.

The following section is taken verbatim from a draft prepared by a Bedford taxpayer:

"The owner of any dog shall restrain said dog from barking at any time and in any place. It shall be the duty of every police officer upon notice from any complainant to

approach the owner of said dog and to instruct said owner to silence said dog. If said dog continues to bark at any other time the police officer may return at any time and impound said dog".

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The Board of Adjustment meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 8:00 P.M. at the Town Hall, if it has been petitioned by a property owner for a hearing. All Board of Adjustment hearings are open to the public.

The Board of Adjustment is elected—one member every year, for a term of five years. The purpose of the Board of Adjustment is to hear appeals from the town's Zoning Ordinances. There are three types of appeals:

1. *Appeal from an Administrative Order*—where it is alleged that that there is an error in an order, decision, requirement, or determination made by an official.
2. *Exceptions*—may be granted where exceptions are specified in the Zoning Ordinance.
3. *Variances*—may be granted *only* if all four of the following conditions are present in the facts of the appeal:
   a. A hardship must exist which is inherent in the land in question.
   b. The spirit and intent of the ordinance must not be broken.
   c. The action will not adversely affect other property.
   d. Not to grant the variance would result in injustice.

The basis for granting a variance is set out by New Hampshire State Law—the Board of Adjustment does *not* have broad authority to grant a variance, even if no one objects to the request.

During 1966 the Board of Adjustment decided eleven appeals—six were requests for exceptions under the town Sign Ordinance; five were requests concerned with building variances.

As our town continues to grow, there will be increasing pressure for deviations from our Zoning Ordinances. The Board of Adjustment, within the limits of its power, will continue to assure that the town and its residents receive equitable treatment.

Respectfully submitted,
Board of Adjustment

CHARLES L. ABBEE,
Secretary

BEDFORD TOWN HALL STUDY COMMITTEE REPORT

At the 1966 Bedford Town Meeting the voters adopted the following Article:

> "To see if the Town will authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five (5) people to determine the feasibility of converting the lower floor of the Town Hall for use as Town Offices and a Court Room, and to appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) for use by this committee. This committee is to submit a report to the Town no later than the Town Meeting of 1967."

Pursuant to the directions contained in the foregoing Article, the Moderator appointed the following members of the Committee: John P. Carleton, Henry J. Ellis, John C. Harvell, William Hutton and Herbert W. Paul. Mr. Carleton was named Chairman of the Committee. In addition, the Moderator appointed two ex-officio members, Frank H. Barnard, as a representative of the Board of Selectmen, and Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr., as a representative of the Budget Committee. The Committee now submits its report.

FACTS

The Committee first approached the problem from the point of view of physical problems presented. All voters in Bedford must be familiar with the general layout of the Town Hall, but there are certain features which merit special consideration in making this study. The building is of frame construction, without sprinklers, nearby fire hydrants or other special fire protection. On the first floor there is a small office on either side of the entrance foyer, one occupied presently by the Selectmen and the other by Civil Defense. The main hall is approximately 50 feet by 48 feet in dimension. There are six supporting lally columns. The partitions separating the main hall from the front offices and the kitchen are bearing partitions and cannot be moved. Each contains two hot air ducts which supply heat for the first and second floors. The main hall is high posted. The kitchen area is limited owing to the space taken up by the stairs, a chimney and the thickness of the partition, brought about by the existence of the ducts already mentioned. The available area in the kitchen is about 600 square feet.

The size and location of offices in the main hall would be governed by the existence of the lally columns and the location of windows. These in effect create eight bays. A central corridor would be required about eight feet wide on either side of which four offices could be laid out 11' 6" by 20' 6" each. However, two of these office spaces would be needed for the court room which is required by law. This means that five offices would be created, but one existing office will be lost by the conversion of the room used by Civil Defense into Judge's Chambers.

The kitchen, owing to its limited size, caused by the obstructions already mentioned will produce only two offices, one of which will be restricted to a width of 9' 6".

Thus, it would appear in the first instance that a net number of seven additional offices could be provided which would increased by three when the functions of the Bedford Court are transferred to the Manchester District Court.

To create these new offices partitions would have to be constructed both in the main hall and in the kitchen. The partition separating the main hall from the kitchen would require rebuilding. The necessary additional doors would have to be installed and an opening broken through to afford access from the Court Room to the Chambers (now Civil Defense).

For maintenance, durability and appearance, some form of tile floor covering would have to be installed on the entire first floor.

Heating presents a serious problem. At the present time heat is provided by two hot air furnaces—one located in the front and one in the rear of the basement, from which ducts run to furnish heat via registers to the first and second floors. There are no storm windows at the present time and the building is not insulated. Combination windows and insulation will have to be provided.

Each office will require its own radiation. The present system with hot air ducts is not adaptable as a practical matter nor do the present furnaces have sufficient capacity for the revised use.

A new heating system will therefore be required. The present hot air furnaces would be retained to service the second floor and

a new forced hot water system installed to take care of the first floor and the basement toilets. The north and south portions of the building would have separate thermostatic controls, one in each area.

In this day and age air-conditioning is practically a "must" in public buildings and this is particularly so in the case of the Town Hall with its extra large windows and lack of cross draft in the proposed new offices. Combination windows and either shades or venetian blinds would have to be provided. If there is no air-conditioning, ventilation in the form of fans or otherwise would be essential, but probably inadequate. The first floor has a posting of almost eleven feet. The installation of a false ceiling is not possible due to the fact that the windows run within a few inches of the presen ceiling.

The main hall now has overhead lights controlled by a couple of main switches. In order to control the ligting in each office and corridor and to provide the necessary outlets for electrical appliances and desk lamps, a completely new electrical wiring system would have to be provided.

Of course, the entire area affected by this reconversion will require painting.

The Committee produced estimates of cost for this rehabilitation. To do the entire job as above outlined would cost approximately $35,000. This total estimate is minimum and since remodelling jobs almost invariably exceed the original estimates, a conservative approach calls for the addition of 10% for contingencies. This makes a total of $38,500 to which the committee has arbitrarily added $1,500 for architect's services. This makes a grand total of $40,000 which in effect amounts to over $13 per square foot for the area to be remodelled.

Although the vote of the Town Meeting directs the Committee to consider only the conversion of the first floor, it should be pointed out that the second floor is available for future expansion and that the two existing cloak rooms could be converted to office use without substantial expense, thus providing two additional offices.

CONCLUSION

It is the conclusion of the Committee that it is feasible to make the proposed conversion of the Town Hall first floor, that is, it can be done, but it does not appear to be practicable either economically or for adaptability to use. The consersion will be costly and the ultimate result will be far from perfect.

The Committee is also of the opinion that the use of the Town Hall would be in essence a temporary solution and that before many years have passed, the voters will be faced with the construction of a Town Office building. If the proposed conversion of the existing building takes place, it will have been committed to specific use and will have to be renovated to enable it to be used for the purposes for which it is now utilized.

Despite the limited scope of the committee's authorization, the members feel justified in recommending the consideration of possible alternatives. The obvious one is the conversion of the Stevens-Buswell School.

ADDITIONAL FACTS

With the completition of the new addition to the McKelvie School, the Stevens-Buswell School will no longer be needed for school purposes and would be available for town office use, provided it is transferred by the School District to the Town. It is anticipated that, if approved by the voters of the School District, it will be released from school use at the end of the current school year.

The building consists of a basement and a first floor, both of which are in full use for school purposes at the present time. It is of a split level design. On the first floor there is a main central corridor serving four classrooms, two of which are 22' by 28', and two 22' by 27,. In the basement, there are two classrooms, each 22' by 27,. These occupy one side of the basement. In the other side are located two toilet rooms with adequate facilities, the boiler room, the kitchen used for school lunch preparation, and storage areas. The building is in excellent physical condition, well painted and well maintained.

The simplest and most economical conversion into offices

would be to divide each classroom with a new partition thus creating twelve offices. Owing to the location of windows and radiators, these offices would be of varying areas, but each would be adequate in size. Some subdivision could be made of the larger offices if additional office units were required in the future.

The heating system is in good condition and adequate. Each classroom is separately zoned with its own thermostat. The radiators are so placed that each of the proposed offices would receive proper heat. The expense involved as a result of conversion of the building into office use would be nominal, if any.

The ceiling of the first floor is insulated. The basement walls are of heavy masonary construction and need no insulation. With new combination windows, which the Committee has included in its cost estimates, insulation of the first floor walls would probably be unnecessary because such a large area is devoted to window space. If it were required, the expense would be relatively minor.

So far as air-conditioning is concerned, a central duct system is not practical due to the nature of the construction of the building. The Committee has figured on the installation of individual window units for each of the eight offices on the first floor, although this number may not be required. The basement has ventilating fans and reportedly is cool in warm weather. The committee has therefore omitted from consideration any air-conditioning in the basement.

The first floor would require floor tile, but the basement classrooms to be converted already have asphalt tile in good condition.

The electrical system would have to be redesigned. Although there are separate switches for all classrooms, corridors, kitchen, toilets, etc., the cost of conversion would be about as much as the Town Hall because the office area in the school is about 20% greater. One of the changes contemplated would be the installation of modern fluorescent lights in each office.

The paint generally is in good condition. Probably, painting only the new construction (the partitions and doors) would suffice. This is particularly so in the case of the first floor rooms. The paint in the basement classrooms is in less good shape, and the Committee in this respect included a complete paint job there.

Sufficient parking space would have to be provided and the Committee has figured on hard topping an area to accommodate twenty-five cars, which should be adequate for immediate needs.

By law, the Town is required to provide a Court Room for the Bedford Municipal Court, but if the school is converted, the Administrative Committee on District and Municipal Courts which is charged with enforcement of this law has indicated, in view of the probable limited duration of the Bedford Court, that the Town will be permitted to continue the use of the Town Hall for court functions, provided Judge's Chambers are furnished by breaking through into the present Civil Defense office and by providing a suitable dais and bench for the Judge.

The Committee procured estimates of the cost of the remodelling which has been outlined above which comes to approximately $16,650. Again a 10% amount has been added for contingencies in the amount of $1,665 and an estimated architect's fee of $685, making a grand total of $19,000.

It is possible that this conversion could be done by stages. Twelve offices may be more than will be required at the present time and a smaller parking space provided, subject to enlargement as future needs require.

CONCLUSION

The Committee is of the unanimous opinion that the conversion of the Stevens-Buswell School is far more feasible from any standpoint than the conversion of the first floor of the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted

JOHN P. CARLETON, Chairman
HENRY J. ELLIS
JOHN C. HARVELL
WILLIAM HUTTON
HERBERT W. PAUL
FRANK H. BARNARD, ex-officio
AUBREY G. ROBINSON, JR., ex-officio

TOWN ARTICLES

To see if the Town will vote to convert the lower floor of the Town Hall for use as Town Offices and a Court Room, and to appropriate a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars ($40,000) for this purpose.

In the event the foregoing Article is not adopted, to see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding nineteen thousand dollars ($19,000) for the purpose of converting the Stevens-Buswell School Building for use as Town Offices and providing Chambers in the lower floor of the Town Hall for the Munuicipal Court Judge, provided the School District votes to transfer to the Town said School Building together with adequate land for parking purposes.

SCHOOL DISTRICT ARTICLE

To see if the School District will vote to transfer to the Town the Stevens-Buswell School Building for conversion into Town Office use, together with adequate land for parking purposes.

ESTIMATES OF CONVERSION COSTS

FIRST FLOOR—TOWN HALL

Construction partitions and installation of Combination windows (Donald Wheeler)	$ 7,488.00
Insulation (Gil Kenney Roofing Co.)	3,155.00
Painting (Herbert W. Paul, Inc.)	2,995.00
Heating (Paul's Oil Service, Inc.)	12,000.00
Air-conditioning (Paul's Oil Service, Inc.)	4,000.00
Electrical wiring and fixtures (John J. Reilly, Inc.)	4,700.00
	$34,338.00

STEVENS-BUSWELL SCHOOL

Construction partitions, etc. (Donald Wheeler)	$ 2,910.00
Combination windows (Donald Wheeler)	540.00
Painting—basement offices complete and partitions first floor (Herbert W. Paul, Inc.)	1,200.00
Air-conditioning (Paul's Oil Service, Inc.)	2,800.00
Heating (Paul's Oil Service, Inc.)	200.00
Electrical wiring and fixtures (John J. Reilly, Inc.)	4,800.00
Hardtop parking (Donald Wheeler & Frank Barnard)	4,200.00
	16,650.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1966	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1966	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1967
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 12,000.00	$ 11,760.32	$ 11,000.00
Railroad Tax		40.19	
Savings Bank Tax	1,700.00	2,130.02	2,000.00
Reimbursement, S.S. Fund, Police Dept.		579.76	
H. Tax Exp.		112.00	
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber, Cost Warden's Training		11.58	
For Fighting Forest Fires		295.47	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		1,995.30	
Gas Tax Refund	300.00	381.96	380.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Rent of Town Equip.		669.36	
Dog Licenses	1,200.00	1,391.70	1,300.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	1,000.00	1,685.00	1,500.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	3,000.00	3,018.30	3,000.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	500.00	1,265.00	500.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	500.00	1,080.79	500.00
Income from Trust Funds, Cemetery	600.00	730.82	700.00
Income of Departments:			
Fees, Planning Dept. and Bd. of Adj.		180.00	
Sale of Zoning Maps		73.00	
Private Road Development	10,000.00	6,639.00	10,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	42,000.00	46,845.65	48,000.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	8,500.00	8,125.00	27,500.00
Insurance Adjustments		13.00	
Cr Police Dept.		15.00	
Reimbursement Forest Fire A/C		241.30	
Insurance Dividends		100.96	
Insurance Recovery		148.71	
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
Recreation Notes			60,000.00
Checks ret. or reported lost		163.18	
Commission of Public Phone		12.36	
Recovery, Pine Blister Control		1.25	
Library Notes			20,825.00
Stevens-Buswell Notes			19,000.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular at $2	3,000.00	3,160.00	3,200.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		86.50	
Yield Taxes			200.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$ 84,300.00	$ 92,952.48	$209,605.00
°AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROP. TAXES	$117,959.31	$120,622.50	$130,706.42

° Total estimated "Revenues from all sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total Appropriations recommended by Budget Committee" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes," exclusive of County and School Taxes.

BEDFORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Prvious Year 1966	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1966	Appropriations By Budget Committee 1967	Appropriations Submitted Without Recommendation Of Budget Committee 1967
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 10,500.00	$ 10,699.91	$ 10,500.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	5,500.00	6,460.44	5,900.00	
Election and Registration Expenses	2,000.00	1,686.36	500.00	
Municipal and District Court Expenses	1,000.00	841.00	1,000.00	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	4,500.00	4,242.88	4,500.00	
Reappraisal of Property	8,000.00	8,001.89	10,110.55	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	2,500.00	2,906.69	3,000.00	
Contingency Fund, So. N. H., Plan Group			340.00	
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Assessment Sp. Art.			750.00	
Police Department	17,500.00	18,252.05	28,129.00	
Fire Department	8,800.00	9,026.11	9,845.00	
Blister Rust and Care of Trees	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Bd. of Adjustment	50.00	68.38	50.00	
Planning and Zoning	2,000.00	1,562.51	1,200.00	
Legal Exp.	500.00	702.60	750.00	
Burner Per.		191.60		
Civil Defense	420.00	544.25	820.00	
Health:				
Civil Defense Siren				$ 3,200.00
Health Department	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Vital Statistics	150.00	150.75	200.00	
Tar Acct.	18,000.00	18,518.79	18,000.00	
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	1,000.00	1,218.01	1,000.00	
Highways and Bridges:				
Gravel	4,500.00	5,868.53	4,500.00	
Town Maintenance—Summer	17,000.00	18,948.97	18,500.00	
Town Maintenanie—Winter and Gen. Exp.	40,000.00	39,291.54	41,500.00	
Street Lighting	2,520.00	2,369.49	2,760.00	
Town Road Aid	1,526.51	1,526.51	1,518.87	
Libraries	6,590.00	6,590.00	8,483.00	
Public Welfare:				
Library Sp. Art.			20,825.00	
Town Poor	1,000.00	108.00	500.00	
Old Age Assistance	4,500.00	6,839.86	7,000.00	
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled				
Lib. 2				2,000.00
Lib. 3				780.00
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	50.00	50.00	50.00	
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	1,000.00	199.39	500.00	
Recreation:				
Sp. Article			60,000.00	
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	1,700.00	2,557.35	1,700.00	
Care of Town Clock			50.00	
Interest, Town Hall Use Study:				
On Temporary Loans	700.00	852.78	1,000.00	
On Long Term Notes	840.00	840.00	630.00	
Used Bulldozer	4,800.00	4,800.00		
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Construction, Private Road Devel.	10,000.00	6,639.55	10,000.00	
Water Works Construction				
Town Hall Sp. Art.				40,000.00
Sidewalk Construction:				
Stevens-Buswell School Sp. Art.			19,000.00	
Parking Lot Landscaping	500.00	667.66		
New Lands and Buildings:				
Paint, Town Hall	3,000.00	2,611.76		
New Equipment:				
Fire Truck		11,626.57		
Indebtediess:				
Purchase Grader and Tractor			27,500.00	
Payment on Principal of Debt:				
Long Term Notes	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	8,500.00	8,500.00	10,500.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$202,259.31	$213,574.98	$340,311.42	

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JOHN J. REILLY, JR.

Budget Committee

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

		No.	
Lands and Buildings			$31,326,757.00
Electric Plants			1,364,110.00
House Trailers		23	91,390.00
Stock in Trade			211,400.00
Boats		58	6,264.00
Cows		385	54,700.00
Poultry		39,093	15,337.00
Gasoline Pumps & Tanks			5,830.00
Portable Mills			2,300.00
Road Building & Construction Machinery			49,590.00
Total Valuation before Exemptions			$33,127,678.00
Less Veterans' Exemptions	$308,347.00		
Less Neatstock Exemptions	6,125.00		
Less Poultry Exemptions	1,400.00		
			325,872.00
Net Valuation of which Tax Rate is computed			$32,811,806.00

Number of Inventories Distributed	1,700
Number of Inventories Returned	1,530
Number of Veterans who received Propertyy Exemptions	310
Number of Veterans exempt from Poll Tax	553

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 10,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	5,500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	2,000.00
Municipal Court Expenses	1,000.00
Town Hall & Buildings Maintenance	4,500.00
Social Securityy & Retirement Contributions	2,500.00
Police Department	17,500.00
Fire Department	8,800.00
Blister Rust	100.00
Planning and Zoning	2,000.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	500.00
Civilian Defense	420.00
Health Department	100.00
Vital Statistics	150.00
Tar Account	18,000.00
Town Dump	1,000.00
Town Maintenance—Summer	17,000.00
Winter & General Expenses of Highway	40,000.00
Gravel Account	4,500.00
Town Road Aid	1,526.51
Library	6,590.00
Old Age Assistance	4,500.00
Town Poor	1,000.00
Veterans' Aid	1,000.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Landscaping Parking Lot	500.00
Cemeteries	1,700.00
Care of Town Clock	50.00
Conservation Commission	150.00
Private Road Development	10,000.00
Fire Truck	3,000.00
Bulldozer	4,800.00
Payment on Debt, Fire Station	7,000.00
Interest	1,540.00
Capital Reserve Funds:	
Grader	3,000.00
Loader	2,500.00
Fire Truck	3,000.00
Special Planning Article	362.80
Reappraisal of Town Property	8,000.00
Board of Adjustment	50.00

Town Hall Use, Study	500.00	
Paint Town Hall	3,000.00	
		$202,409.31
Less: Estimated Revenue and Credits		
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 11,760.32	
Railroad Tax	40.19	
Savings Bank Tax	2,130.02	
Interest received on Taxes	1,000.00	
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	1,000.00	
Dog Licenses	1,200.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	44,000.00	
Rent of Town Property	500.00	
Income from Trust Funds, Cemetery	600.00	
Fines, Municipal Court	3,000.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	85.00	
Poll Taxes at $2.00 (1921)	3,842.00	
Cash Surplus	4,000.00	
Other Revenue:		
Gas Tax Refund	300.00	
Private Road Development	10,000.00	
Head Tax Commission	1,000.00	
Total Revenues and Credits	$ 84,457.53	
Net Town Appropriations		$117,951.78
Net School Appropriations		586.607.15
County Tax Assessment		39,141.46
Total of Town, School, and County		$743,700.39
Add: Overlay		10,971.15
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes		$754,671.54
Taxes to be committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	$754,671.54	
Poll Taxes at $2.00	3,842.00	
NationalBank Stock Taxes	85.00	
Total Taxes Committed		$758,598.54
Tax Rate:		
Town	$ .39	
School	1.79	
County	.12	
Total		$ 2.30

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1966

Title of Appropriation	Appropriations	*Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Enexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 10,500.00		$ 10,500.00	$ 10,699.91		$ 199.91
Town Officers' Expenses	5,500.00	$ 112.00	5,612.00	6,460.44		848.44
Election and Registration	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,686.36	$ 313.64	
Munuicipal Courut	1,000.00		1,000.00	841.00	159.00	
Town Hall	4,500.00		4,500.00	4,242.88	257.12	
Police Department	17,500.00	15.00	17,515.00	18,252.05		737.05
Fire Department	8,800.00	548.35	9,348.35	9,026.11	322.24	
Blister Rust	100.00	1.25	101.25	100.00	1.25	
Health Department	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Planning Department	2,000.00	133.00	2,133.00	1,562.51	550.49	
Board of Adjustment	50.00	120.00	170.00	68.38	101.62	
Legal Expenses	500.00		500.00	702.60		202.60
Civil Defense	420.00		420.00	544.25		124.25
Vital Statistics	150.00		150.00	150.75		.75
Town Dump	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,218.01		218.01
Reappraisal of Property	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,001.89		1.89
Highway, Gravel	4,500.00		4,500.00	5,868.53		1,368.53
Highway, Summer	17,000.00	669.36	17,669.36	18,948.97		1,279.61
Gen. Highway and Winter	40,000.00		40,000.00	39,291.54	708.46	
Highway, Tar	18,000.00		18,000.00	18,618.79		618.79
Town Road Aid	1,526.51		1,526.51	1,526.51		
Street Lighting	2,520.00		2,520.00	2,369.49	150.51	
Library	6,590.00		6,590.00	6,590.00		
Town Poor	1,000.00		1,000.00	108.00	892.00	
Old Age Assistance	4,500.00	1,995.30	6,495.30	6,839.86		344.56
Memorial Day	50.00		50.00	50.00		
Aid to Soldiers	1,000.00		1,000.00	199.39	800.61	
Cemeteries	1,700.00	730.82	2,430.82	2,557.35		126.53
Care of Clock	50.00		50.00	50.00		
Interest on Temp. Loans	700.00		700.00	852.78		152.78
Interest on Long Term Note	840.00		840.00	840.00		
Town Hall Use, Study	500.00		500.00		500.00	
Private Road Development	10,000.00		10,000.00	6,639.55	3,360.45	
Employees' Social Security	2,500.00	579.76	3,079.76	2,906.69	173.07	
Payment on Debt, Fire Sta.	7,000.00		7,000.00	7,000.00		
Capital Reserve:	8,500.00		8,500.00	8,500.00		
(Grader: $3,000.00)						
(Loader: $2,500.00)						
(Fire Tr. $3,000.00)						
	$190,596.51	$4,904.84	$195,501.35	$193,414.59	$8,290.46	$6,223.70
					6,223.70	
Net Unexpended Balance					$2,066.76	

* Receipts and Reimbursements represent items of income not included in the Budget and Tax Rate calculations.

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash:		
In hands of Treasurer, January 1, 1967	$279,086.71	
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Grader Account	12,616.69	
Tractor-Loader Account	9,500.24	
Fire Truck Account	110.90	
Reimbursement, Civil Defense Generator for Fire Department	224.47	
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1965	550.51	
Levy of 1964	477.13	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1966	64,166.88	
Levy of 1965 & Yield (29.67)	161.67	
State Head Tax—Levy of 1966	2,215.00	
Total Assets		$369,110.20
Net—Surplus, December 31, 1965	$ 38,123.77	
Net—Surplus, December 31, 1966	44,409.05	
Increase of Surplus	6,285.28	

Liabilities

Due to State:		
State Head Taxes: (1966)		
Uncollected	$ 2,215.00	
Collected, not Remitted	235.00	
		$ 2,450.00
Yield Tax—Bond and Debt Retirement:		
Uncollected	$ 4.94	
Collected, not Remitted	18.38	
		$ 23.32
Due to School District, Balance		300,000.00
Capital Reserve Funds		22,227.83
Total Liabilities		$324,701.15
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)		44,409.05
Grand Total		$369,110.20

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$ 100,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00
Library, Land and Building	10,000.00
Furnitureand Equipment	2,500.00
Police Department, Equipment	2,500.00
Fire Department, Land and Building	35,000.00
Equipment	45,000.00
Highway Department, Land and Building	15,000.00
Equipment	35,000.00
Materials and Supplies	3,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	5,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	1,035,000.00
Equipment	50,000.00
Lands and Buildings acquired through	
Tax Collector's Deeds:	
Gustave E. Richard—Lots 174-183 Worthley Road	1,000.00
Roger Chagnon—31 Acres Liberty Hill Road	1,500.00
Joseph Roux—Land Nashua Road	2,000.00
Gayle MacInnis—3 Acres Fitts Land	300.00
Total	$1,350,800.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Automobile Account

Dr.

1965 Auto Permits collected in 1965 but not remitted	$ 200.67	
1965 Auto Permits Issued in 1966	564.95	
1966 Auto Permits Issued	45,732.53	
1967 Auto Permits Issued	347.50	
Total Debits		$46,845.65

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	$46,845.65	
Total Credits		$46,845.65

Dog License Account

Dr.

1965 Dog Licenses Issued	$ 6.50	
1966 Dog Licenses Issued	1,099.00	
Fines Collected	43.00	
	$ 1,148.50	
Received from Police Chief Bruno Vincent:		
1966 Dog Licenses	$ 250.00	
Fines Collected	108.00	
	$ 358.00	
Total Debits		$ 1,560.50

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	$ 1,391.70	
Irene M. Hardy, fees for issuing	114.80	
Total Credits		$ 1,506.50

Building Permits

Dr.

9 Commercial Permits & 1 addition issued	$ 220.00	
64 New Dwelling Permits	615.00	
44 Additions and Non-dwelling permits	214.00	
Total Debits		$ 1,049.00

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	$ 1,049.00

Filing Fees

Dr.

Filing Fees Received—March Town Meeting	$ 9.00	
Filing Fees Received—Sept. Primary	12.00	
Total Debits		$ 21.00

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	$ 21.00

Respectfully submitted,

IRENE M. HARDY, *Town Clerk*

MUNICIPAL COURT ACCOUNT

Received		$ 6,477.00
Paid:		
Department of Safety	$ 2,032.00	
Witness Fees	118.44	
Misc. Expenses	119.26	
Bail Returned	1,189.00	
Treasurer, Town of Bedford	3,018.30	
		$ 6,477.00

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. WIGGIN,
Clerk of Court

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1966

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	$754,740.57		
Poll Taxes	3,842.00		
National Bank Stock Tax	85.00		
Total Warrant		$758,667.57	
Added Taxes			
Property Taxes	8,869.49		
Poll Taxes	34.00		
National Bank Stock Tax	1.50		
		8,904.99	
Interest Collected		26.26	
TOTAL DEBITS			$767,598.81

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property Taxes	$688,611.37		
Poll Taxes	3,076.00		
National Bank Stock Tax	86.50		
Interest Collected	26.25		
		$691,800.12	
Discount Allowed		11,251.34	
Abatements:			
Property Taxes	296.47		
Poll Taxes	84.00		
		380.47	
Uncollected Taxes—as per Collector's List:			
Property Taxes	63,450.88		
Poll Taxes	716.00		
		64,166.88	
TOTAL CREDITS			$767,598.81

Levy of 1965

Uncollected Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966:			
Property Taxes	$ 51,582.16		
Poll Taxes	712.00		
Yield Taxes	139.93		
		$ 52,434.09	
Added Taxes			
Poll Taxes		40.00	
Interest Collected during year		1,079.67	
TOTAL DEBITS			$ 53,553.76

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property Taxes	$ 51,093.76		
Poll Taxes	680.00		
Yield Taxes	110.26		
		$ 51,884.02	
Interest collected during year		1,079.67	
Abatements			
Property Taxes	356.40		
Poll Taxes	72.00		
		428.40	
Uncollected Taxes on Jan. 1, 1967:			
Property Taxes	132.00		
Yield Taxes	29.67		
		161.67	
TOTAL CREDITS			$ 53,553.76

Levy of 1964

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966		
Poll Taxes	$ 6.00	
Interest collected during year	.82	
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 6.82

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Poll Taxes	4.00		
Interest collected during year	.82		
Poll Tax abated	2.00		
TOTAL CREDITS		$	6.82

Levy of 1963

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966			
Poll Taxes	$ 2.00		
Interest collected during year	.30		
TOTAL DEBITS		$	2.30

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Poll Taxes	$ 2.00		
Interest collected during year	.30		
TOTAL CREDITS		$	2.30

Levy of 1960

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966		
Yield Taxes	$	98.04

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Abatement	$	98.04

STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1966

Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Original Warrant	$ 12,370.00

Added Head Taxes	100.00		
Total Commitment		$ 12,470.00	
Penalties Collected		22.50	
TOTAL DEBITS			$ 12,492.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Head Taxes	$ 10,115.00		
Penalties	22.50		
		10,137.50	
Abatements		140.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes on Jan. 1, 1967		2,215.00	
TOTAL CREDITS			$ 12,492.50

Levy of 1965

Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966	$ 2,170.00	
Penalties Collected	209.00	
Added Taxes	105.00	
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 2,484.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	$ 2,070.00	
Penalties collected	209.00	
Abatements	205.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		$ 2,484.00

Levy of 1964

Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966	$ 40.00	
Penalties collected	2.50	
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 42.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:				
Head Taxes	$	25.00		
Penalties collected		2.50		
Abatements		15.00		
TOTAL CREDITS			$	42.50

Levy of 1963

Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966	$	10.00		
Penalties collected		.50		
TOTAL DEBITS			$	10.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:				
Head Taxes	$	5.00		
Penalties collected		.50		
Abatements		5.00		
TOTAL CREDITS			$	10.50

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
As of December 31, 1966

Dr.

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of: 1965	1964	1963
Taxes sold to Town during fiscal year	$1,225.83		
Balance unredeemed Taxes on Jan. 1, 1966		$ 478.68	$ 421.99
Interest collected during year	10.50		61.58
TOTAL DEBITS	$1,236.33	$ 478.68	$ 483.57

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer during year	$ 620.91	$ 1.55	$ 373.71
Deeded to Town during year	54.41		48.28
Interest collected during year	10.50		61.58
Unredeemed taxes on 1/1/67	550.51	477.13	
TOTAL CREDITS	$1,236.33	$ 478.68	$ 483.57

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales On Account of Levies of

	1965	1964
Robert and Gloria McBrearty	$ 294.07	$ 245.65
Raymond Hebert	139.90	
Roger Hebert		138.13
Gayle MacInnis	21.99	
Loretta Walker	94.55	93.35
	$ 550.51	$ 477.13

Respectfully submitted,

IRENE M. HARDY, *Tax Collector*

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1966		$ 134,953.37
Received of:		
IRENE M. HARDY, Tax Collector:		
Poll Taxes—1963	$ 2.00	
Interest—1963	.30	
Head Taxes—1963	5.00	
Head Tax Penalties	.50	
Poll Taxes—1964	4.00	
Interest—1964	.82	
Head Taxes—1964	25.00	
Head Tax Penalties—1964	2.50	
Poll Taxes—1965	680.00	
Property Taxes—1965	51,093.76	
Yield Taxes—1965	110.26	
Interest—1965	1,079.67	
Head Taxes—1965	2,070.00	
Head Tax Penalties—1965	209.00	
Poll Taxes—1966	3,076.00	
Property Taxes—1966	688,611.37	
Interest—1966	26.25	
Head Taxes—1966	10,115.00	
Head Tax Penalties—1966	22.50	
National Bank Stock Tax—1966	86.50	
Discount on Taxes—1966	11,251.34	
Abatements:		
Yield Taxes—1960	$ 98.04	
Head Tax—1963	5.00	
Poll Tax—1964	2.00	
Head Taxes—1964	15.00	
Poll Taxes—1965	72.00	
Property Taxes—1965	356.40	
Head Taxes—1965	205.00	
Poll Taxes—1966	84.00	
Property Taxes—1966	296.47	
Head Taxes—1966	140.00	
Taxes redeemed plus Interest, 1963	435.29	
Taxes redeemed plus Interest, 1964	1.55	
Taxes redeemed plus Interest, 1965	631.41	
		$ 770,813.93

IRENE M. HARDY, Town Clerk:

Auto Permits—1965	$ 765.62	
Auto Permits—1966	45,732.53	
Auto Permits—1967	347.50	
Dog Licenses—1965	6.50	
Dog Licenses—1966	1,385.20	
Filing Fees	21.00	
Building Permits	1,049.00	
		$ 49,307.35

State Treasurer:

Interest and Dividend Tax	$ 11,760.32	
Savings Bank Taxes	2,130.02	
Railroad Taxes (Partial 1964)	40.19	
Fighting Forest Fires	295.47	
Reimbursement Head Tax Expense	112.00	
Recovery on O.A.A.	1,995.30	
Cost of Warden's Training	11.58	
Return of S.S. on permanent Police	579.76	
Gasoline Tax Refund	381.96	
		$ 17,306.60

FRANCES M. WIGGIN, Clerk of Court:

Court Fees		$ 3,018.30

SELECTMEN:

Rent of Hall	$ 1,265.00	
Business License and Permits	615.00	
Sale of Zoning Maps	73.00	
Commission on Public Telephone	12.36	
Rent of Highway Equipment	367.36	
Rent of Fire Equipment	302.00	
Insurance Recovery, Damage, Police Car	148.71	
Insurance Dividends	100.96	
Checks issued, returned or reported lost	163.18	
R. M. Wiggin, Sr., Insurance Adjustment	13.00	
Recovery on White Pine Blister Account	1.25	
Bruno Vincent, Chief, Cr. Police Dept.	15.00	
Planning Board, Sub-Div. Plans	60.00	
Board of Adjustment, Public Hearings	120.00	

Rasanen Construction Co., Cost Road Construction	2,494.55	
Anna F. Saidel, Cost of Road Repair including Gravel	145.00	
		$ 9,896.37

OTHER SOURCES:

Amoskeag National Bank, Notes	$100,000.00	
Recovery, Fighting Fires	241.30	
Trustees Bedford Trust Funds,		
Capital Reserve, Fire Truck Purchase	8,125.00	
Income for Cenetery Care	730.82	
		$ 109,097.12
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$1,094,393.04
Total Checks Issued		$ 815,306.13
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1966		$ 279.086.91

Respectfully Submitted,

C. FREEMAN SHAW,

Treasurer

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1966

CURRENT REVENUE:

FROM LOCAL TAXES:

Property Taxes 1966	$700,159.18	
Poll Taxes	3,160.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes 1966	86.50	
Interest 1966	26.25	
State Head Taxes 1966 & Penalties	10,277.50	
Total Current Year's Taxes Collected & Remitted		$ 713,709.43
Property Taxes & Yield Taxes, Previous Years		51,658.46
Poll Taxes, Previous Year		760.00
State Head Taxes, Previous Years		2,325.00
Interest received on Taxes		1,080.79
Penalties on Head Taxes		212.00
Tax Sales redeemed and Interest		1,068.25

FROM STATE:

Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 11,760.32	
Railroad Tax	40.19	
Savings Bank Tax	2,130.02	
Reimbursement, Gas Tax	381.96	
Reimbursement, Head Tax Expense	112.00	
Cost of Warden's Training	11.58	
Fighting Forest Fires	295.47	
Reimbursement S. S. Fund, Police Dept.	579.76	
Reimbursement, Old Age Assistance	1,995.30	
		$ 17,306.60

FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES:

Fees, Bd. of Adj. and Planning Bd.	$ 180.00
Dog Licenses	1,391.70
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	1,685.00
Fines, Municipal Court	3,018.30
Rent of Town Property	1,265.00

Income from Trust Funds, Cemetery	730.82	
Rent of Town Equipment	669.36	
Sale of Zoning Maps	73.00	
Motor Vehicle Permits (1965—$765.62) (1966—$45,732.53) (1967—$347.50)	46,845.65	
		$ 55,868.83
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$ 843,979.36

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:

Temporary Loan in anticipation of Taxes	$100,000.00	
Insurance Adjustments	13.00	
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve, Fire Truck Account	8,125.00	
Credit Police Department	15.00	
Reimbursement Forest Fire Account	241.30	
Insurance Dividends	100.96	
Insurance Recovery (Damage Claims)	148.71	
Checks returned or reported lost	163.18	
Commission on Public Telephone	12.36	
Recovery, Pine Blister Control	1.25	
Reimbursement, New Roads Constructed,		
E. Leo Kanteres	4,000.00	
Rasanen Construction Co.	2,494.55	
Anna F. Saidel (Road Repair & Gravel)	145.00	
		$ 115,460.31
Total Receipts from all Sources		$ 959,439.67
Cash on Hand January 1, 1966		$ 134,953.37
GRAND TOTAL		$1,094,393.04

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1966

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 10,699.91
Town Officers' Expenses	6,460.44
Election and Registration Expense	1,686.36
Municipal Court Expense	841.00
Expense Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	4,242.88
Reappraisal of Property	8,001.89

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Care of Town Clock	$ 50.00
Police Department	18,252.05
Fire Department	9,026.11
Board of Adjustment	68.38
Blister Rust	100.00
Planning and Zoning	1,562.51
Legal Expenses	702.60
Civil Defense	544.25
Oil Burner Permits	191.60

HEALTH:

Health Department	$ 100.00
Vital Statistics	150.75
Town Dump	1,218.01

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:

Tar Account	$ 18,618.79
Gravel Account	5,868.53
Town Road Aid	1,562.51
General Expenses and Winter	39,291.54
Street Lighting	2,369.49

Private Road Development	6,639.55	
LIBRARY:		$ 6,590.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:		
Old Age Assistance	$ 6,839.86	
Town Welfare	108.00	
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:		
Memorial Day	$ 50.00	
Aid to Soldiers and their Families	199.39	
CEMETERIES:		$ 2,557.35
UNCLASSIFIED:		
Tax Sales Account	$ 40.00	
Regional Planning, Fee	340.00	
Town Conservation Commission	196.80	
Taxes bought by Town	1,225.83	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	13,125.31	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	2,906.69	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$ 188,434.66
INTEREST:		
Paid on Temparoary Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	$ 852.78	
Paid on Long Term Note	840.00	
		$ 1,692.78
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT:		
Used Bulldozer	$ 4,800.00	
Landscaping Parking Lot	667.66	
Paint, Town Hall	2,611.76	
Fire Truck	11,626.57	
		$ 19,705.99

INDEBTEDNESS:

Payments on Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	$100,000.00	
Payment on Long Term Note	7,000.00	
Payments to Capital Reserve Fund	8,500.00	
		$ 115,500.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:

State Head Taxes (1966—$8,902.00) (Prior Years—$2,382.00)	$ 11,284.00	
Yield Taxes	33.40	
Taxes paid to County	39,141.46	
Payments to School District, (1965 Tax—$150,000.00) (1966 Tax—$286,607.15)	436,607.15	
		$ 487,066.01

Total Payments for all Purposes	$ 815,306.13
Cash on Hand December 31, 1967	$ 279,086.91
GRAND TOTAL	$1,094,393.04

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation: $10,500.00

	Salary		Net Amount Received
Selectmen:			
Frank H. Barnard	$ 1,200.00	Less S.S. Cont.	$ 1,149.60
Russell C. Keeler	1,100.00	Less S.S. Cont.	1,053.80
Robert H. Brooks	1,000.00	Less S.S. Cont.	958.00
Overseer of Welfare:			
Frank H. Barnard	100.00	Less S.S. Cont.	95.80
Town Clerk:			
Irene M. Hardy	100.00		100.00
Irene M. Hardy, Issuing Auto Per.	1,743.50	Less S.S. Cont.	1,672.26
Tax Collector:			
Irene M Hardy	5,000.00	Less W.H. & S.S	4,089.64
Auditors:			
Gillis French, Est.	100.00		100.00
John R. Burleigh	100.00		100.00
Treasurer:			
C. Freeman Shaw	300.00	Less S.S. Cont.	287.40
C. Freeman Shaw, Adm. S.S. Acct.	100.00	Less S.S. Cont.	95.80
Clerk Trust Funds:			
Byron D. Peck	75.00		75.00
C. Freeman Shaw, S.S. Acct. Employees' Cont.			454.21
Internal Revenue, Withholding Taxes			468.40
			$ 10,699.91

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation:	$5,500.00
Revenue:	112.00
Total	$5,612.00

Amoskeag National Bank, Checks and Deposit Service	$ 164.15	
Office Supplies	334.65	
Printing	178.86	
R. L. Polk, Directory	35.00	
Donat Corriveau, Register of Deeds	123.70	
Postmaster, Stamps and Envelopes	482.75	
Irene M. Hardy, Conventions & Supplies	149.45	
Edith Schmidtchen	6.00	
Ballard Bros., Town Reports	1,312.10	
Union Leader Corp., Advertising	8.91	
Addressograph Multigraph Corp., Contract Service & Supplies	138.07	
News, Advertising	23.35	
Walter S. Melendy, Town Officers' Bonds	226.00	
Herman C. Stache	37.00	
Insurance	220.51	
Dues, Town Clerk & Tax Coll. Assoc.	6.00	
Dog Tags	53.36	
Frank H. Barnard, Selectman, Use of Car	200.00	
Frank H. Barnard, Building Permits $140.00 less S. S.	134.12	
Russell C. Keller, Selectman, Use of Car	2.00	
Russell C. Keeler, Building Permits $140.00 less S. S.	134.12	
Russell C. Keller, Selectman, Use of Car	200.00	
Robert H. Brooks, Selectman, Use of Car	200.00	
Robert H. Brooks, Building Permits $140.00 less S. S.	134.12	
Robert H. Brooks, Assessors' Meetings	12.50	
Bernice H. Wiggin, Office Seceretary, ($1,911.19) less S. S.	1,831.05	
Treasurer, State of N. H., Boat Report Forms	28.50	
C.Freeman Shaw, Treas. S. S. Acct.	81.17	
		$ 6,460.44

TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

Appropriation:	$4,500.00
Revenue:	1,265.00
Total:	$5,765.00

Russell F. Johnson, Custodian (Resigned) $260.00 less S S.)	$ 249.10	
John H. Hersey, Custodian, (Salary $282.63 less S. S.)	274.19	
Paul's Home Service	1,251.31	
People's Gas & Oil Co.	244.31	
Telephone	314.12	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	801.62	
Insurance	899.31	
Repairs and Supplies	107.05	
ABC Window Cleaners	78.00	
C. Freeman Shaw, Treas. S. S. Acct. (Employees' Contributions)	23.87	
		$ 4,242.88

TOWN HALL STUDY

Appropriation: $500.00

No Expenditures

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Appropriation: $2,000.00

Robert A. Raulerson, Moderator	$ 105.00
Alexander J. Majeski, Ballot Clerk	75.00
James B. Gleason, Ballot Clerk	50.00
Earl M. Isham, Jr., Ballot Clerk	75.00
Byron D. Peck, Ballot Clerk	75.00
Pauline Miller, Ballot Clerk	25.00
Harry E. Reynolds, Police Duty	64.00
James U. Kolenski, Police Duty	11.50
Roland Latulippe, Police Duty	11.50
Arthur F. Bostwick, Police Duty	68.98
Ernest Tremblay, Police Duty	15.33
G. Arnold Nickerson, Police Duty	11.50
C. Harry Gage, Special Police	70.00
Israel Latulippe, Special Police	70.00
Esther W. Doerfler, Ballot Counter	23.25
Eleanor Bullock, Ballot Counter	23.25
Robert Bullock, Ballot Counter	5.40
Orlo D. Richardson, Ballot Counter	6.75
Joan R. Abbe, Ballot Counter	6.75

Paul J. Manning, Ballot Counter	6.75	
Vera Miller, Ballot Counter	6.75	
Beverly Cole, Ballot Counter	6.75	
Edith Isham, Ballot Counter	12.00	
Charles G. Hardy, Supervisor of Checklist	150.00	
Blanche W. Clapp, Supervisor of Checklist	150.00	
Robert J. Bullock, Supervisor of Checklist	150.00	
Bernice H. Wiggin, Assistant to Town Clerk	23.47	
Janitor Service	26.47	
Ballard Bros., Ballots	280.00	
West Side Lumber Co.	.96	
Dorothy F. McLain, Suppers	80.00	
		$ 1,686.36

MUNICIPAL COURT

Appropriation: $1,000.00

J. Walker Wiggin, Justice	$ 479.00	
Jack B. Middleton, Associate Justice	19.16	
Frances M. Wiggin, Clerk	287.40	
C. Freeman Shaw, Treas. S. S. Acct. (Employees' Contributions)	34.44	
		$ 820.00

LEGAL EXPENSES

Appropriation: $500.00

Sheehan, Phinney, Bass & Green	$ 702.60

REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY

Appropriation: $8,000.00

Clarinda D. Roy	$1,419.02	
Evans Printing Co., printing Re-evaluation Booklets	218.50	
Treasurer, State of N. H.	6,302.14	
C. Freeman Shaw, Treas. S. S. Acct.	62.23	
		$ 8,001.89

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation: $2,520.00

Public Service Co. of N. H.		$ 2,369.49

LIBRARY

Appropriation: $6,590.00

Robert A. Bailey, Treasurer	$6,507.40	
N. E. Telephone	24.00	
Clark's Hardware	9.87	
Edward R. Caron Ins. Agency	11.00	
Lockwood-Bodwell & Covill Ins. Agency	1.68	
Concord General Mutual Ins. Co.	36.05	
		$ 6,590.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation:	$4,500.00	
Revenue:	1,995.30	
Total:	$6,495.30	
State of N. H. Department of Welfare		$ 6,839.86

TOWN WELFARE

Appropriation: $1,000.00

Donald St. Market, Groceries		$ 108.00

SOLDIERS' AID

Appropriation: $1,000.00

Donald St. Market, Groceries	$ 50.00	
The Wagon Wheel Store, Groceries	149.39	
		$ 199.39

MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation: $50.00

Stevens-Buswell Post No. 54, American Legion		$ 50.00

PLANNING BOARD

Appropriation:	$2,000.00
Revenue:	73.00
Total:	$2,073.00

Union Leader, Advertising	$ 24.51	
Ballard Bros., Brochures	225.00	
Donat Corriveau, Register	11.00	
Robert J. Assi, Maps	1,187.00	
Floyd Willey, Survey of Land	115.00	
		$ 1,562.51

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Appropriation: $50.00

News, Advertising	$ 62.63	
Derryfield Press	5.75	
		$ 68.38

BLISTER RUST

Appropriation: $100.00

William H. Messeck, Director	$ 100.00

BOND AND DEBT RETIREMENT

Treasurer, State of N. H., Yield or Timber Tax	$ 33.40

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation:	$17,500.00
Revenue:	545.67
Total:	$18,045.67

	Salary		Net Amount Received
Police Officers:			
Bruno Vincent, Chief	$6,000.00	(Less P..R. & W.H)	$ 4,847.80
Clothing Allowance			90.00
Mileage, phone, misc.			389.22
Harry E. Reynolds	4,800.00	(Less W.H.)	4,408.00
Clothing Allowance			90.00

Exp. Police School			26.88
Arthur F. Bostwick,			
Deputy Chief	986.62 (Less S.S. & W.H.)		869.82
Clothing Allowance			25.00
Mileage			16.02
Ernest Tremblay	216.00 (Less S.S. & W.H.)		180.45
James U. Kolenski	936.00 (Less S.S. & W.H.)		810.88
Dale W. Johnson	714.00 (Less S.S. & W.H.)		680.19
			$ 12,434.26
Other Expenses:			
Telephone		$ 69.08	
Insurances		573.82	
Gasoline, oil, etc.		2,018.73	
Service on Cruiser Radio		72.00	
Photography		135.02	
Cruiser Maintenance		723.70	
Office Supplies		63.25	
Equipment		99.97	
Police Seminar		16.00	
Fuel, Police Station		248.11	
Internal Revenue, Withholding Taxes		1,193.70	
Social Security and Police Retirement		604.41	
			$ 5,817.79
Grand Total			$ 18,252.05

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation:	$8,800.00
Revenue:	536.77
Total:	$9,336.77

Telephone	$ 542.40
Fuel Oil	381.69
Repairs and Supplies	200.30
Equipment	655.53
Insurance	1,095.73
Gasoline	151.12
Edward J. Moody & Son Inc., Cabinet & Rep.	375.00
C B Radio & Co. Inc.	140.00

Manchester Water Works, Hydrant Rental	2,822.00	
Paul W. Johonnett, Warden, Equip. Rental	280.00	
Paul W. Johonnett, Warden, Payroll	909.19	
Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., Chief, Payroll	1,257.75	
Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., Maintenance of Trucks	140.82	
N. H. State Firemen's Assoc.	60.00	
C. Freeman Shaw, Adm. S. S. Acct.	14.58	
		$ 9,026.11

OIL BURNER PERMITS

Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., Salary $200.00, less S. S.	$ 191.60

CIVIL DEFENSE

Appropriation: $420.00

Treasurer, State of N. H., Equipment	$ 19.00	
American Fire Equipment Co., Inc., Generator	448.95	
Lafayette Radio Elect. Corp.	.53	
DeMambro Radio Supply Co.	35.07	
Evans Radio Inc.	6.20	
Mary E. Carr, Director, Supplies and Expenses	34.50	
		$ 544.25

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation: $100.00

William T. Hunter, Health Officer	$ 100.00

CLOCK

Appropriation: $50.00

Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., Care of Clock	$ 47.90	
C. Freeman Shaw, Treas. S.S. Acct. Employees' Contributions	2.10	
		$ 50.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation: $150.00

L. H. Hardy Book Bindery, Binding Records	$ 30.00	
Irene M. Hardy, Town Clerk, Fees	120.75	
		$ 150.75

TOWN DUMP

Appropriation: $1,000.00

Richard J. Ramig, Labor	$ 53.46	
Richard J. Ramig, Truck	140.00	
Albert Dickerman, Labor	51.36	
George Dickerman, Labor	56.01	
C. Arthur Wiggin, Labor	65.16	
Ernest Philibert, Labor	80.47	
Ernest Raymond, Labor	87.30	
Scott Rossiter, Bulldozer	48.00	
J. P. Chemical Co. Inc., Extermination Cost	175.00	
Joseph S. Gill, Care of Dump	373.62	
Edgar R. Caron Ins.	35.00	
Lockwood-Bodwell & Covill Ins. Agency	15.91	
C. Freeman Shaw, Treas. S.S. Acct. Employees' Contributions	36.72	
		$ 1,218.01

TOWN ROAD AID

Appropriation: $1,526.51

Treasurer, State of N. H.	$ 1,526.51

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Town Maintenance—Summer

Appropriation:	$17,000.00
Revenue:	669.36
Total:	$17,669.36

LABOR:

Richard J. Ramig	$1,329.92
Albert Dickerman	1,213.36
George Dickerman	1,282.53

C. Arthur Wiggin	1,455.66	
Ernest Philibert	1,838.19	
Bruce Parkhurst	911.84	
Joel Trefry	142.29	
Ernest W. Raymond	1,207.57	
Fred Ramig	200.14	
Kenneth Jenkins	57.16	
		$ 9,638.66
TRUCKS:		
Richard J. Ramig	$3,346.60	
Frank H. Barnard	246.55	
Albert Riley	99.00	
Don Wheeler	267.30	
Scott Rossiter, Bulldozer	228.00	
		$ 4,187.45
MATERIALS & MISC.:		
Treasurer, State of N. H., Signs	$ 644.36	
N. E. Culvert	2,148.21	
Duracrete Block	53.27	
Rila Precast Consrete	104.37	
Paul E. Weir, Stump Remoavl	163.00	
A. Filteau, Gravel	200.90	
Don Wheeler, Gravel	115.90	
Mrs. William Hazen, Gravel	196.80	
Gerald Hyde, Surveying	75.00	
		$ 3,701.81
Cr. Highway Dept.—S. S. Acct.		504.55
Internal Revenue—Withholding Taxes		916.50
TOTAL		$ 18,984.97

GRAVEL TOWN ROADS

Appropriation: $4,500.00

LABOR:	
Richard J. Ramig	$ 188.85
Albert Dickerman	102.72
George Dickerman	168.03
C. Arthur Wiggin	197.16
Ernest Philibert	261.54
Ernest Raymond	284.44

Cr. Town of Bedford Highway S. S.	61.91	
		$ 1,264.65
TRUCKS:		
Richard J. Ramig	$ 597.50	
Frank H. Barnard	1,320.20	
Albert Riley	577.50	
Don Wheeler	1,070.80	
		$ 3,566.00
MATERIALS:		
Mrs. William Hazen, Sand	$ 85.80	
J. J. Cronin, Gravel	952.08	
		$ 1,037.88
		$ 5,868.53

PRIVATE ROAD DEVELOPMENT

Appropriation: $10,000.00

PAID:		
Treasurer, Town of Bedford, for		
E. Leo Kanteres—Roads	$4,000.00	
Rasanen Construction Co.	2,494.55	
Anna F. Saidel, Road Repair & Gravel	145.00	
		$ 6,639.55

PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT

New Fire Station

Amoskeag National Bank, Interest	$ 840.00	
Bond Retirement	7,000.00	
		$ 7,840.00

TAR — CLASS V HIGHWAYS

Appropriation: $18,000.00

Total:

LABOR:	
Richard J. Ramig	$ 647.16

Albert Dickerman	513.23	
George Dickerman	515.79	
Ernest Raymond	588.32	
C. Arthur Wiggin	544.50	
Fred Ramig	183.78	
Ernest Philibert	860.54	
Bruce Parkhurst	186.52	
		$ 4,309.84
TRUCKS:		
Richard J. Ramig	$1,707.00	
Albert Riley	369.37	
Frank Barnard	1,732.40	
E. Thibeaude	462.00	
Don Wheeler	1,731.70	
		$ 6,002.47
MATERIALS:		
Lane Construction Co., Asphalt	$ 1,539.00	
N. H. Bituminous Co., Inc. Asphalt	11,338.38	
Mrs. William Hazen, Sand	235.20	
Treasurer, State of N. H.—Tar Acct.	1,889.70	
		$ 15,002.28
Cr. Highway Department S. S.		213.75
		$ 25,258.34
Credit Private Road Development		6,639.55
TOTAL		$ 18,618.79

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

General Expense and Winter Maintenance

Appropriation: $40,000.00

LABOR:

Richard J. Ramig	$1,278.55
Albert Dickerman	667.59
George Dickerman	936.63
George Dickerman, Chain Saw	160.00
C. Arthur Wiggin	1,094.42
Ernest Philibert	1,590.56
Bruce Parkhurst	1,500.27

R. Belanger	27.58	
Harry Riley	327.80	
Richard Riley	46.30	
John Pappas	20.47	
John Hersey	12.17	
Roger White	10.06	
Herbert Christie	36.15	
Byron R. Peck	20.22	
J. Philibert	19.72	
Ernest Raymond	102.96	
		$ 7,851.45
TRUCKS:		
Richard J. Ramig	$4,217.85	
Albert Riley	2,133.40	
Don Wheeler	175.10	
Frank H. Barnard	898.95	
Scott Rossiter, Bulldozer	48.00	
		$ 7,473.30
Cr. Highway Depratment S. S.		389.21
Internal Revenue, Withholding Taxes		3,050.55
		$ 18,764.51
Maintenance and Equipment	$5,491.10	
Materials and Supplies	4,766.42	
Salt	6,072.70	
Fuel Oil	1,057.35	
Public Service	171.10	
N. E. Telephone	160.55	
Gas and Oil	570.05	
Insurance	1,411.45	
State of N. H., Signs and Road Marking	826.41	
		$ 20,527.13
TOTAL		$ 39,291.54

CEMETERIES

Appropriation:	$1,700.00
Revenue:	730.82
Total:	$2,430.82

Paul C. Manning, Labor	$ 666.21	
Everett Campbell, Labor	614.73	
Kenneth Boss, Labor	63.6c	
Michael Doerfler, Labor	2.87	
Brian Hoffman, Labor	49.3c	
Walter T. Green, Labor	230.91	
Doma Watson III, Labor	64.17	
Dale Kelley, Labor	39.52	
Douglas Ton, Labor	26.82	
Robert Dobles, Labor	32.57	
John Hanlon, Labor	29.21	
Scott Wiggin, Labor	108.23	
Glenn Wiggin, Labor	51.42	
David Johonnett, Labor	25.86	
James Dwire, Labor	78.13	
Richard Hoffman, Labor	12.5r	
Ernest Coupe, Labor	9.10	
Marshall Scott, Labor	9.10	
Frank Perry, Labor	38.92	
C. Freeman Shaw, Treas. S. S. Acct.	89.28	
		$ 2,242.63
Repairs and Supplies	$ 48.87	
Lockwood Bodwell & Covill Ins. Agcy.	21.80	
Bedford Lawnmower Hospital, Mowers	100.00	
O. D. Richardson, Gas, Oil, etc.	24.95	
Byron D. Peck, Clerk Trust Funds,expense	3.70	
Paul's Home Service, reparis	16.21	
Everseal Burial Vault Inc.	20.69	
Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., Treas., Water 1966	25.00	
Internal Revenue, Withholding Taxes	53.50	
		$ 314.72
		$ 2,557.35

BULLDOZER

Appropriation: $4,800.00

E. W. Sleeper Co.	$ 4,800.00

PARKING LOT

Appropriation: $500.00

LABOR:

Richard J. Ramig	$ 31.20

Albert Dickerman	17.40	
George Dickerman	25.60	
C. Arthur Wiggin	28.00	
Ernest Philibert, Sr.	33.60	
Bruce Parkhurst	10.20	
		$ 146.00
TRUCK:		
Richard J. Ramig		$ 81.60
MATERIALS AND MISC.:		
J. J. Moreau & Son Inc.	$ 4.77	
Merrimack Concrete Prod.	18.82	
Gem Evergreen Co., Landscaping	363.53	
J. A. Richardson, Bark Mulch	45.00	
Clark's Hardware	7.94	
		$ 440.06
		$ 667.66

NEW FIRE TRUCK

Appropriation:

Union Leader, Advertising for Bids	$ 30.07	
International Harvester Co. Chassis	4,796.50	
Howe Fire Apparatus Co.	6,800.00	
		$ 11,626.57

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Irene M. Hardy, Collector	$ 1,225.83

TAX SALES COST

Irene M. Hardy, Collector, Fees	$ 36.25	
Irene M. Hardy, Expense	3.75	
		$ 40.00

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Abatements allowed by Selectmen	$ 600.06	
Irene M. Hardy, Collector, Abatements and Discounts allowed	12,525.25	
		$ 13,125.31

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Treasurer, State of N. H.		
Head Tax, Prior Years	$2,382.00	
Head Tax, 1966 Levy	8,902.00	
		$ 11,284.00

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

Byron D. Peck, Clerk, Trust Funds	$ 8,500.00

INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS

Appropriation: $700.00

Amoskeag National Bank	$ 852.78

COUNTY TAX

Albert W. Beaudet, County Treasurer	$ 39,141.46

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Henry A. Blood, Treasurer		
Balance 1965-66 Appropriation	$150,000.00	
On Account 1966-67 Appropriation	286,607.15	
		$436,607.15

PAINTING TOWN HALL

Appropriation: $3,000.00

Union Leader, Advertising	$ 36.76	
O. Faucher, Painting Contractor	2,575.00	
		$ 2,611.76

SPECIAL PLANNING ARTICLE

Appropriation: $362.80

Southern N. H. Planning Commission	$ 340.00

CONSERVATION

Appropriation: $150.00

Aero Service Inc.	$ 98.40

EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY

Appropriation:	$2,500.00
Revenue:	579.76
Total:	$3,079.76

C. Freeman Shaw, Treasurer S. S. Acct.		
April, First Quarter	$ 587.22	
July, Second Quarter	580.62	
October, Third Quarter	494.84	
December, Fourth Quarter	639.48	
Police Retirement	360.00	
Judges, Previous Years & Current	238.95	
N. H. Division of Welfare	5.58	
		$ 2,906.69

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK H. BARNARD,
RUSSELL C. KEELER,
ROBERT H. BROOKS,
Selectmen

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS ON NOTE

NEW FIRE STATION

Town of Bedford, New Hampshire

$35,000.00 — 3%

Note Dated — December 15, 1964

Interest Payable — June 1 and December 1

To Amoskeag National Bank

Amount Oustanding	Date	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total
*$35,000.00	June 1, 1965		$481.25	$ 481.25
* 35,000.00	Dec. 1, 1965	$7,000.00	525.00	7,525.00
* 28,000.00	June 1, 1965		420.00	420.00
* 28,000.00	Dec. 1, 1966	7,000.00	420.00	7,420.00
21,000.00	June 1, 1967		315.00	315.00
21,000.00	Dec. 1, 1967	7,000.00	315.00	7,315.00
14,000.00	June 1, 1968		210.00	210.00
14,000.00	Dec. 1, 1968	7,000.00	210.00	7,210.00
7,000.00	June 1, 1969		105.00	105.00
7,000.00	Dec. 1, 1969	7,000.00	105.00	7,105.00

* Notes have been Retired.

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL

Financial Statement — 1966

Town Funds Expended	$ 98.75	
Cooperative Aid to Town	311.59	
Total Expenditures		$ 410.34
1966 Town Appropriation	$ 100.00	
Town Funds Expended	98.75	
Balance Due Town		$ 1.25
Area Worked		1237 Acres
Currant and Gooseberry Bushes Destroyed		1085

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Division of Resources Development

White Pine Blister Rust Control Information

for Selectmen

Town of Bedford

Blister Rust Control Area in Town	18603 Acres
Pine Area	10886 Acres
Area Detailed Mapped	18063 Acres
Work coming up in 1967	1200 Acres
Recommended Appropriation 1967	$ 100.00

WALTER GILBERT,
District Supervisor

Work on Blister Rust Control in Bedford in 1966 was done in the following Blocks:

Blocks 68-74-82-85-90-95.

Worked scheduled for 1967 will be in the following Blocks as far as appropriation will permit:

Blocks 5-13-75-76-79.

N. H. POLICE RETIREMENT

Balance due Police Retirement, January 1, 1966	$ .30	
Received:		
Bruno Vincent, Police Chief, Employee's Contributions	479.40	
Town of Bedford, 6% of Gross Salary paid by Town	360.00	
		$ 839.70
Paid to:		
N. H. Police Retirement Board		$ 839.70

Respectfully submitted,

C. FREEMAN SHAW,
Treasurer

SOCIAL SECURITY REPORT

Balance on Account (Breakage January 1, 1966)		$ 4.68
Received:		
Library	$ 152.04	
Highway Department	1,189.74	
Town Employees' Contributions	1,195.05	
Town's Share 4.20%	2,302.16	
		$ 4,838.99
		$ 4,843.67
Paid to:		
State of N. H. Dept. Public Welfare	$3,44.59	
State of N. H. Judges' Assessment	238.95	
Chief Bruno Vincent, Return of S. S. due to ruling on Permanent Police	320.05	
Harry E. Reynolds, Return of S. S. due to ruling on Permanent Police	259.65	
Town of Bedford, Town's Share	579.76	
		$ 4,843.00
Balance on Account (Breakage)		.67
		$ 4,843.67

Respectfully submitted,

C. FREEMAN SHAW,

Treasurer

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The year 1966 was one of considerable activity for the Planning Board. The March Town Meeting adopted amendments to the Zoning Ordinance initiated and recommended by the Planning Board, which prohibited remotely operated gasoline stations: required a license to erect advertising signs and raised the fees for building permits.

The Town Meeting authorized the Planning Board to have a Zoning Map brought up to date and published. This was accomplished and maps were made available to the public in early October for $1.00 per copy.

Bedford voted to join the Southern New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission and Robert Brooks and Eugene Van Loan were appointed commissioners. One of the services to be gained by joining was that a professional planner from the Regional Commission would assist and advise the local Board in its deliberations. Mr. Neil Siemanski was assigned to Bedford.

The following land Sub-divisions were received and approved: Heritage Drive by Henry Sundeen; an extension of Sherwood Forest by Robert Rasanen; Robert Healy; Donald Wallace; Elk Drive by Robert Jenkins; and Maple Leaf Acres by Frank Yaquis.

The Board has discussed and voted to approve and support the report of the Town Hall Study Committee which recommends the remodeling of the Stevens-Buswell School for town offices and the report of the Recreation Committee which recommends the purchase of the Havey Land for the Town to be used for recreational purposes.

The problems of a fast growing community present to the Planning Board difficult situations which it attempts to solve in the best interest of the entire town. As a guide and aid in its recommendations, it uses the 1963 comprehensive Town Plan prepared by Metcalf & Eddy. Realizing that things have changed since then, it attempts to reconcile current conditions with the Plan and submit to the Town changes in zoning and land use which are compatable with the requests of individuals and the overall orderly development of our community. Another facet of the changing times has been the greater sophistication of our society demanding consultation and advice from legal counsel which we feel must be a permanent part of our way of conducting business.

EUGENE M. VAN LOAN, JR.,
Chairman

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Roads Resurfaced
77,615 gallons applied
2,450 yards of sand

Metal Culvert
61 Feet 36"
33 Feet 24"
211 Feet 12"
20 Feet 16"

Roads Graveled by Town
Beals Road
Gage Road
Stowell Road
Meadow Road

Roads Built by T R A
Joppa Hill Road
Wallace Road

Road Built by Town
Brook Drive

Roads Built by Contractor
Birchwood Circle

Gravel, Sand Used by Town

Town and T R A Gravel	11,838 yards
Winter Sand	1,000 yards
Dump	1,728 yards
Tarring	2,450 yards

Crushed Bank Run Used by Town
891 tons

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. RAMIG,
Road Agent

REPORT OF BEDFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Bedford Fire Department has responded to 79 fire calls during 1966. They include the following:

House or Building	10	Resuscitator	2
Automobile and accident	6	Dump	5
Grass, Brush and Woods	27	Tree	2
Chimney	3	Tar pot	1
Lost children	2	False alarms	1
Mutual Aid	3	Kitchen grease fires	3
Rescue	2	Other calls	11

We have had another very good year at keeping fires to a minimum.

Our training program was continued with excellent response. Drills were held twice a month at the Fire Station or out of doors, weather permitting. The men were instructed in all types of fire and rescue work under the direction of our training officer, Capt. Leo Bongers, Jr.

Several firemen attended the annual fire school at Meadowood, where latest methods in fire fighting techniques were demonstrated.

Through the facilities of the American Red Cross, the department obtained two Scott Airpacks and a resuscitator. Civilian Defense has supplied the department with a gasoline-powered generator and two lights which are being carried on our rescue truck.

Bedford is one of twenty towns in the area participating in the Mutual Aid program. Officers and members of the department have attended tri-monthly meetings throughout the yeyar.

The Fire Department would like to thank the townspeople for our new 1000 gallon tanker which we received early in December.

As Chief, I would like to thank all the members of the Department for their continuing cooperation. I would also like to express my sincere appreciation to the four red phone operators, Gertrude Hersey, Joyce Johonnett, Joyce Jenkins and Doris Peck for their efficient service and faithfulness.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH M. WIGGIN, JR.,
Chief

FIRE RECORD

Fire records are made by people—those who cause fires and those who control them. Your forest fire warden, deputy wardens, fire chiefs and firemen have, in spite of a prolonged drought, made one of the best fire control records in recent years. Despite a very dry spring, we in New Hampshire working together, have substantially reduced our fire incidence (885 in 1965 to 595 in 1966).

This enviable record is largely due to two factors:

1. A closely coordinated and integrated state-town organization jointly carrying out programs of forest fire prevention, training and suppression with dedicated personnel.
2. Your appreciation of our forest fire control program and your individual effort in practicing fire prevention.

Statistics show, however, there is room for improvement. Major problems are still with us: (1) the careless disposal of cigarettes; (2) the householder's carelessness in burning rubbish; (3) the failure of woodlot owners and contractors to completely extinguish their brush burning fires; (4) failure to extinguish camp fires; (5) unsupervised children playing with matches.

New Hampshire has 4,339,000 acres of woodland to be protected. In 1966 we experienced 595 forest fires on this area and restricted acreage burned to 395 acres—a fine testimonial to the efficiency and dedication of the men who make up our forest fire control organization.

1. If you must burn you will need a permit. Permits are not issued between 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. except on rainy days. Permits are not needed when the ground is covered with snow. To minimize risk the best way to dispose of rubbish is at your authorized or municipal dumping area.
2. Be sure all discarded smoking material is out.
3. Don't leave a live camp or cooking fire.
4. Most important—Instruct your children that matches are not play things.

TRULY—ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES

PAUL W. JOHONNETT,
Forest Fire Warden
WINTHROP H. HANNAFORD,
District Fire Chief

REPORT OF POLICE ACTIVITIES—1966

Arrests	191
Assaults	8
Arson	1
Accidents Investigated	113
Accident Reports taken at home	11
Breaks in Business Places	14
Breaks Solved	2
Breaks in Homes	8
Breaks in Homes solved	3
Burglar Alarms responded to by Bedford Police	10
Dog Complaints	58
Defective equipment tags issued on Motor Vehicles	71
Fish and Game calls	2
Grand Larceny Cases	1
Guns registered	22
Hit and Run Accidents	6
Hit and Run Accidents solved	3
House Complaints	305
Larceny by Checks Cases	6
Missing Persons reported	9
Missing Persons found	9
Motor Vehicle Violations Warnings	59
Persons taken to Hospital in Emergencies	7
Prowler Complaints	23
Persons located for other Police Departments	5
Property Damage Cases	6
Persons assisted on Highway by Police	123
Reference Papers filled out for Bedford Persons seeking Employment in Defense Plants or joining Service	61
Stolen Cars	9
Stolen Cars recovered	12
Suspicious Cars checked	24
Abandoned Cars checked on Highways	475
Suspicious Persons checked	75
Robberies	3
Stolen Bicycles	5
Stolen Bicycles recovered	3
Summons served on Bedford Persons	130
Subpoenas served	41
Reported stolen Property Cases	44

Total Number of Complaints required Investigation	613
Total Number of Complaints taken care of by phone	107
Reports to County Solicitor, M. V. Dept., Town of Bedford, State of N. H. Probation Dept.	91
Vandalism Cases	22
Vandalism Cases solved	11
Vagrants	1
Vacant Homes, checked regularly	81
Business Places checked regularly	60
Persons killed on Bedford Highways	4
Doors found unlocked in Business Places	236
Doors found unlocked in Schools	56
Doors found unlocked in vacant homes	4
Windows found unlocked in Business Places	47
Windows found unlocked in Schools	12
Lights found turned on in Business Places	78
Lights found on in Schools	43
Persons committed to State Hospital	2
Police Escorts	31
Emergency Messages to Bedford Persons	14
Reports to Highway Dept., Road Condition Traffic Lights out	11
Assists to other Police Departments	22
Assistance at Bedford Fires	7
Dogs licensed by Police (Delinquents)	110
Value of Property stolen in Bedford	$16,841.87
Value of Property recovered by Bedford Police	$9,361.57
Total Telephone Calls on Police Business	3,017
Total Mileage on private cars	5,619
Total Mileage on Cruiser	52,000
Total Hours of Police Duty by Regular Men	4,590
Total Hours Overtime, Regular Men	416½
Total Hours Police Duties by Special Officers	1,466½
Total Hours Police Duties by Bedford Police Dept.	6,473

Respectfully submitted,

BRUNO VINCENT,

Bedford Police Chief

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Bedford, N. H. on December 31, 1966

Date of Creation	NAME OF TRUST FUND	PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	PRINCIPAL Beginning and End Year New Funds Creat	INCOME Balance Beginning Year	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Oct. 31, 1888	Adam Chandler	Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	$ 600.00	.....	5%	$ 28.05	$ 28.05	.....
Oct. 22, 1898	Barr Fund	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	13.34	13.34	.....
Mar. 18, 1901	Bursiel Fund	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Oct. 31, 1902	David Swett	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.66	.....
Dec. 11, 1903	Shepard Fund	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	$ 14.36	5%	8.90	8.90	$ 14.36
Mar. 23, 1904	Walker Fund	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Mar. 21, 1907	Caroline A. Moore	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Apr. 26, 1907	Susan J. Clark	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	13.34	13.34	.....
June 5, 1908	Annie Townsend	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	.....	5%	2.23	2.23	.....
Mar. 10, 1909	Sarah Riddle Osgood	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Mar. 9, 1909	Sarah H. Clark	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	9.52	5%	4.44	4.44	9.52
Apr. 13, 1909	William M. Patten	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Dec. 31, 1910	Stephen C. Damon	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Mar. 16, 1912	Rufus Parkhurst	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	1.09	5%	2.23	2.23	1.09
June 27, 1914	Mary E. Parker	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Nov. 5, 1914	Gilman H. Moore	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Apr. 10, 1917	Clement Fund	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Sept. 21, 1917	Thomas L. Burns	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Dec. 8, 1917	Sturtevant & Moore	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Jan. 28, 1919	Moore & Kittredge	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Juuly 19, 1919	Harry A. Shepard	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3.70	5%	4.44	4.44	3.70
Feb. 3, 1920	Thomas W. Moore	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Nov. 17, 1920	George F. Barnard	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 23, 1921	Henry L. Peaslee	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	1.09	5%	2.23	2.23	1.09
Apr. 13, 1922	Mary M. Clapp	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 15, 1922	Susan S. Fosher	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Nov. 2, 1923	Addie L. Gage	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.66	.....
Feb. 1, 1924	Lavinia Seavey	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
July 24, 1924	Frank F. Flint	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	8.81	5%	4.44	4.44	8.81
Dec. 1, 1924	Julia A. Stevens	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Dec. 9, 1924	Charles Beal	Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	500.00	.....	5%	23.37	23.37	.....
Dec. 12, 1924	Charles Beal	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....

Apr. 3, 1925	Mandana Roby	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 5, 1925	Charles Gage	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	.....	5%	2.23	2.23	.....
Oct. 27, 1925	Mary J. Moore	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	13.34	13.34	.....
May 26, 1926	Laura E. Cutler	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Feb. 23, 1927	James N. Mitchell	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	.....	5%	2.23	2.23	.....
May 19, 1927	Lucy B. Savage	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	13.34	13.34	.....
Oct. 20, 1927	Charles B. Stowell	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	500.00	.....	5%	23.37	23.37	.....
Mar. 21, 1928	Charles A. Grant	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Feb. 28, 1929	Angeline Campbell	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75.00	.....	5%	3.35	3.35	.....
Apr. 18, 1929	William A. Hobart	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	13.66	5%	13.34	13.34	13.66
Oct. 3, 1929	George A. Gookin	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Feb. 19, 1930	Cora H. Beals	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	6.34	5%	4.44	4.44	6.34
May 22, 1930	Imogene M. Buswell	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	4.81	4.81	.....
June 2, 1930	Edward C. Schneider	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Nov. 6, 1930	Charles E. Bursiel	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Apr. 2, 1931	Dennis R. Chase	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Jan. 7, 1932	Parkhurst & Atwood	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.66	.....
Jan. 7, 1932	Harriet J. Parkhurst	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	6.89	5%	4.44	4.44	6.89
Mar. 3, 1932	Mary L. Osgood	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Apr. 4, 1932	Thomas E. Barr	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.66	.....
June 23, 1932	Quincy L. Barnard	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Aug. 7, 1933	Katherine E. Moore	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.66	.....
June 21, 1934	Nelson Fosher	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	.....	5%	2.23	2.23	.....
June 29, 1935	Peter Parker	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Jan. 24, 1936	Albert P. Watson	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Feb. 13, 1936	Charles P. Woodbury	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Apr. 2, 1936	John O. Parker	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 4, 1936	George H. Wiggin	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.66	.....
July 2, 1936	Frank French	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	125.00	.....	5%	5.56	5.56	.....
July 16, 1936	Sarah L. Witherspoon	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	1.09	5%	2.23	2.23	1.09
June 18, 1937	Ernestine Wolf	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	1.09	5%	2.23	2.23	1.09
June 18, 1937	Sabra Dearborn	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	1.09	5%	2.23	2.23	1.09
Apr. 4, 1938	William H. Ward	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	13.34	13.34	.....
Dec. 5, 1938	Frank H. Waters	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
July 27, 1939	John M. Hodgman	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Apr. 3, 1940	Jennie R. Clapp	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 31, 1941	Mrs. William E. Felch	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Jan. 19, 1942	Mrs. James G. Dunnington	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Feb. 3, 1942	Gillis & Helen French	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Sept. 15, 1942	Fred H. Merrill	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Apr. 1, 1943	Adeline Huntoon	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
June 2, 1943	Dr. Granville E. Hoffses	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....

Aug. 10, 1943	Albert B. McLain	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Oct. 25, 1943	Hicks & McFadden	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 24, 1944	A. J. McKelvie	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Nov. 29, 1944	Frank H. Waters	Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2,000.00	.....	5%	93.48	93.48	.....
Nov. 29, 1944	John Leslie	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Nov. 29, 1944	Frances E. Woodbury	Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,500.00	.....	5%	70.12	70.12	.....
Nov. 30, 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	.....	5%	46.73	46.73	.....
Nov. 30, 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Church Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	10,000.00	.....	5%	467.36	467.36	.....
Nov. 30, 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Prize Speaking	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2,000.00	199.01	5%	See reference	at end	199.01
Nov. 30, 1944	Willis B Kendall	Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	.....	5%	46.73	46.73	.....
Mar. 18, 1945	Hattie Beane	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Mar. 5, 1946	Charles Lenz	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Mar. 30, 1946	Charles D. Barnard	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
June 18, 1946	Achsah A. Snell	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	.....	5%	6.66	6.00	.....
Jan. 29, 1947	Anna G. Holbrook	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Mar. 8, 1948	Charles J. Tinker	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Sept. 1, 1948	William Currie	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Apr. 13, 1949	Jessie P. Howard	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Mar. 16, 1950	Grace B. Hodgman	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	5.85	5%	4.44	4.44	5.85
Dec. 18, 1950	John C. Schaller	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
July 24, 1952	Myron L. Stickney	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75.00	3.75	5%	3.35	3.35	3.75
Oct. 1, 1952	Samuel H. Patten	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Mar. 4, 1954	Lyman H. Fulton	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	125.00	.....	5%	5.56	5.56	.....
May 22, 1956	Paul H De Nicola	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
July 20, 1956	Abbie C. Gault	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Sept. 5, 1956	Forrest C. Blood	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Jan. 16, 1957	George H. Gault	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	.....	5%	13.34	13.34	.....
Apr. 16, 1957	Minnie Esterbrooks	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Apr. 24, 1957	Arthur N. Hodgman	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
May 27, 1960	Robert A. Hanham	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Feb. 20, 1961	Augustus W. Clark	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	.....	5%	8.90	8.90	.....
Nov. 24, 1961	Arthur J. Bennett	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
Jan. 9, 1963	Darrah-Batchelder	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	250.00	.....	5%	11.12	11.12	.....
Feb. 5, 1963	Stanley H. Jamros	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.....	5%	4.44	4.44	.....
July 1965	New Center Cemetery	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	6,400.00*	47.25	5%	226.78	206.53	67.50
Mar. 22, 1966	Fred A. French and Ralph M. Wiggin Sr.	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00*	.....	5%	2.25	2.25	.....
Aug. 7, 1966	Curtis Pecker	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	125.00*	.....	5%	.....	.....	.....
Aug. 31, 1966	Earl M. and Rose R. Isham	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00*	.....	5%	.....	.....	.....
Sept. 15, 1966	Clinton P. Hodgman	Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00*	.....	5%	.....	.....	.....
				$39,375.00*	324.59		$1,608.68	$1,588.43	$344.84

	Name of Trust Fund	Balance Begin. Year	Created New Funds	Balance End Year
	* Imogene M. Buswell	$ 100.00	$ 200.00	$ 300.00
	* New Center Cemetery	4,400.00	2,000.00	6,400.00
	* Fred A. French and Ralph M. Wiggin Sr.	.....	200.00	200.00
	* Curtis Pecker	.....	125.00	125.00
	* Earl M. and Rose R. Isham	.....	200.00	200.00
	* Clinton P. Hodgman	.....	100.00	100.00
	TOTALS	$36,550.00	$2,825.00	$39,375.00
Willis B. Kendall Prize Speaking Trust Fund	Accumulated Interest	$231.23	5% $ 110.05	..... $341.28

Report of the Capital Reserve Funds of the Town of Bedford, N. H. on December 31, 1966

Oct. 4, 1955	Capital Reserve Fund	Highway Grader	Amoskeag Savings Bank	Balance on hand January 1, 1966	$ 9,060.71
				New funds created April 1, 1966	3,000.00
				Interest January 1, 1967	555.98
					$12,616.69
July 9, 1958	Capital Reserve Fund	Tractor-Loader	Amoskeag Savings Bank	Balance on hand January 1, 1966	$ 6,584.29
				New funds created April 1, 1966	2,500.00
				Interest January 1, 1967	415.95
					$ 9,500.24
Oct. 10, 1960	Capital Reserve Fund	Fire Truck	Amoskeag Savings Bank	Balance on hand January 1, 1966	$ 4,884.54
				New funds created April 1, 1966	3,000.00
				Interest January 1, 1967	351.36
					$ 8,235.90
				Paid to town, order of Selectmen	$ 8,125.00
					$ 110.90

ANNUAL REPORT OF REVENUES COLLECTED

AND EXPENSES PAID

AND UNEXPENDED REVENUES

BEDFORD TRUST FUNDS

Year Ending December 31, 1966

BALANCE OF UNEXPENDED TRUST FUND
REVENUES AT JANUARY 1, 1966

CHECKING ACCOUNTS		
Cemetery trust funds revenues	$ 78.33	
Prize Speaking fund revenue	199.01	
		$ 277.34
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS		
New Center Cemetery funds revenue	$ 47.25	
Prize Speaking fund revenue	231.23	
		$ 278.48
TOTAL		$ 555.82
REVENUES COLLECTED		
Interest—New Center Cemetery funds	$ 226.78	
Interest—Other Cemetery funds	652.79	
Interest—Library fund	261.75	
Interest—Church fund	467.36	
Interest—Prize Speaking fund	110.05	
		$ 1,718.73
TRUST FUND REVENUES AVAILABLE		$ 2,274.55

EXPENSES PAID		
Bedford Presbyterian Church—Revenue from W.B. Kendall Church Funds	$ 467.36	
R.M. Wiggin, Jr., Treasurer—Bedford Center Old Cemetery Funds	114.50	
Bedford Public Library—Library Trust Funds	261.75	
Treasurer, Town of Bedford—Cemetery care	730.82	
Plants	14.00	
		$ 1,588.43
BALANCE OF UNEXPENDED TRUST FUND		
REVENUES AT DECEMBER 31, 1966		$ 686.12
CHECKING ACCOUNTS		
Cemetery trust funds revenues	$ 78.33	
Prize Speaking fund revenue	199.01	
		$ 277.34
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS		
New Center Cemetery funds revenues	$ 67.50	
Prize Speaking fund revenue	341.28	
		$ 408.78
TOTAL		$ 686.12

Respectfully submitted,

BYRON D. PECK,

Treasurer, Bedford Trust Funds

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the balance sheet of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire as of December 31, 1966 and the related statements of revenues and expenses and fund equities for the year then ended. Our examination was conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests as we considered necessary in the circumstances. Our audit included examination of the accounting records of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Clerk of the Municipal Court, Treasurer of the Public Library, Trustees of the Trust Funds, and the Highway Agent.

The Schedule of Town Property and the related Schedule of Note Payments on Note Payable, New Fire Station are presented separately instead of as an integral part of the balance sheet.

In our opinion, except as noted in the preceding paragraph,

the balance sheet and related statements of revenues and expenses and unfund equities present fairly the financial position of the various funds of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire at December 31, 1966, and the results of operations for the year then ended, in conformity with accounting practices used by municipalities applied, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

RICHARD B. MORGAN, C.P.A.,

ROBERT A. BAILEY,

Auditors

February 15, 1967

CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

BEDFORD ORGANIZATION

Every property owner, will receive a questionaire some time before June first, which will be mailed by the Bureau of the Census, this questionaire will ask the home owner for certain pertinent information concerning the construction of their house, this to be mailed back to the Government in Washington, there the information will be computerized to detemine the best location for Shelter from Radiation in their house, and remailed to the home owner. Governor King has signed the request for this Survey, for all of New Hampshire. This Survey has been made in many states, with as high as 82% compliance, refuting the accusation that our United States Citizens are apathetic!

Regretfully, with the passing of Ray Starita, we must find a head for the Welfare Services, also Bob Cooper who headed our Radio program has had to resign, so we must also find his replacement. Dr. Rahmanop resigned as head of our Medical group, His successor is Mrs. Camile Letendre, R.N. She is a former World War II Nurse, having seen field service. Otherwise our Staff remains as it was.

The Radef as well as the Communication program has maintained its active program this past year, Monitoring stations have made reports all during the year, and the Races Net has been active, with Messers Durette, Ton and Freedman manning the Tuesday Races Hour throughout the yeyar.

Leo Bongers, First Aid and Light Rescue has given the Fire Department Advanced First aid with Rescue training. Rolland McMurphy, Engineering, has organized the local Contractors in Bedford on a stand-by basis, for service in Emergency.

Paul Johonnett, Fuels, has added equipment to his business, and will use it for Town emergency if needed. His trucks are equipped with two way radio, and will be used in case of need.

Classes are being recruited for Radiological and First Aid training, Medical Self Help Films will be used in the first aid training. We have a full set in the hands of the director at present.

Thru Matching Funds, we have procured at half the price a portable generator for our Rescue vehicle in the Bedford Fire Department, as well as two Flood lights for night emergencies.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. RAYMOND L. CARR,
Director Bedford Civil Defense

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

This annual report has but one purpose—to keep the community informed of the activities of the Bedford Public Library. To really serve the public, a Library has to change with the times. The service, in years past solid and steady, has this year expanded to include a circulating record collection; summer activities of a weekly pre-school story hour, bi-weekly film programs for grades one thru six; bridge lessons for young adults, grades 7 thru 12; an eight week creative writing course for adults and in the Fall the Library sponsored bridge lessons for adults and the Library Forum Series.

The yearly art exhibit, in observation of National Libray Week, was extended to cover a period of one month and was truly enjoyed by all. There were 34 exhibitors, 81 works of art and approximately 525 visitors to the Library. The contributing artists to the exhibit were honored at an appreciation party held on the last night of the exhibit. This is just one of the little extras our Librarians extend to the public each year.

In January it was voted to open the Library from 2-5 P.M. on Wednesday, thus giving three additional hours of Library service. It was also voted to increase the insurance coverage on the contents of the Library to $25,000.

The Salmagundi Book Sale, a continuous sale of discarded or duplicate books, is continuing to be quite successful. Approximately 200 books have been sold in 1966. Money received from this sale is used to purchase replacements or additional books for the Library.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Library Association was held at Colby Junior College, in New London, N. H., on Thursday, June 2, 1966. Mr. Greenaway, Director of the Free Library of Philadelphia and a former president of ALA, explained the intent and meaning of the present legislation for Federal aid to libraries and its impact on our libraries. Mr. Robert Bailey, Bedford Library Trustee, participated in a panel discussion moderated by Mr. Emil W. Allen, State Librarian.

Perhaps the climax for the Bedford Librarians and Trustees in 1966 was being recipient of the award "Most Oustanding Library" presented to Mr. Jack Larrabee, Chairman, at the annual New Hampshire Library Trustee Association meeting held at the Wayfarer October 19, 1966. A major feature of the NHLTA Annual Meeting has become the presentation of awards and citations for outstanding service of various types in local libraries or for the benefit of those libraries.

The Bedford Librarians take an active part in the New Hampshire Library Association. Mrs. Wiggin is Chairman for the Southeast District Council and Representative for four of the districts to the New Hampshire Library Council. Mrs. Peck serves as editor of the "Newsletter" the official publication of the New Hampshire Library Association. Mrs. Peck also took a special course in "Book Selection Policy" at Notre Dame College under the auspices of the New Hampshire State Library and University of New Hampshire Extension service.

As in the past, many friends of the Library have been more than generous to us during the year. We especially wish to thank the Bedford Mother's Club, the Bedford Garden Club and the Bedford Woman's Club for their contributions during 1966. A Library is people and our many thanks go to the many individuals who have helped us during the year with gifts of books, magazines and their time. We do feel that special recognition should go to Mrs. Cecil Nickolls, Mrs. James Scotland, Mrs. Edward Smiley and Mrs. Charles Lessard for their aid many times during this past year.

Each year the Trustees of this Library have closed their report with a statement of the needs of our Library as Bedford increases in population. We feel that this year our needs are more pressing than ever. In September, a committee of sixteen interested townspeople was appointed to help formulate plans for future library growth and to make the best possible use of our present limited facilities.

Additional Library hours cannot solve the congestion of inadequate space. Each year more and more shcool children—both elementary and high school—have found Mrs. Wiggin and Mrs. Peck most cooperative in helping to solve their research homework problems. Adults, too, are finding the Library not only a good

source of leisure reading but a good source of information on hobbies, creative or otherwise. More time, more books and more space are needed to keep up with the demands of the public. The recommended figure per capita for library services in New Hampshire towns under five thousand is $5.00. Our figure per capita in 1966 was approximately $1.85; up from $1.63 in 1965, denoting that we are building in the right direction.

A total of twenty meetings have been held this year—some to discuss the everyday business of Library services and some with our appointed committee of interested townspeople. After many hours of work and exchange of ideas, we believe that we have the best solution at the least possible cost to the town to adequately take care of our present Library needs. The anticipated approval of the townspeople at the annual Town Meeting in March is necessary to the future growth of the Bedford Public Library.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT A. BAILEY, 1966, Treasurer

PHYLLIS P. WOODWARD, 1967, Secretary

JOHN W. LARRABEE, 1968, Chairman

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN OF BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Year Ending December 31, 1966

Library Trustees:	
Robert A. Bailey	1967
Phyllis Woodward	1968
John W. Larrabee, Jr.	1969
Librarian:	
Frances M. Wiggin	
Assistant Librarian:	
Doris B. Peck	
Library Hours	
Tuesday afternoon	2 to 5 o'clock
Tuesday evening	7 to 9 o'clock
Wednesday afternoon	2 to 5 o'clock
Thursday afternoon	2 to 5 o'clock
Friday afternoon	2 to 5 o'clock
Friday evening	7 to 9 o'clock
Saturday morning	9 to 12 o'clock
Books on hand 12-31-65	12,280
Acquired by purchases, 1966	679
Acquired by gifts, 1966	163
	13,122
Withdrawals during year	26
Books on hand 12-31-66	13,096
Circulation:	
Number of adult books loaned	14,140
Number of children's books loaned	12,111
Total circulation	26,251
Borrowed from Bookmobile	3,583
Magazine subscriptions	67
Magazines given regularly	16
Number of registered borrowers	1,601

Circulation rise over a ten-year period:

1956— 4,953
1961—21,647
1966—26,251

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. WIGGIN,
Librarian

BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

TREASURER'S REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1966

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1966	$ .17	
Town appropriation	6,590.00	
Fines	284.50	
Sale of books	36.90	
Contributions	92.66	
Trust Funds	261.75	
Receipts English Course	275.00	
Receipts Bridge Lessons	269.00	
Returned Check (1965)	1.25	
		$ 7,811.23

EXPENDITURES

Salaries		
Frances M. Wiggin, Librarian	$1,655.40	
Doris Peck, Assistant Librarian	1,563.48	
James Scotland, Substitute	3.00	
Betty Lessard, Substitute	4.50	
Ben Clement, Custodian	205.97	
John Hersey, Custodian	43.11	
John W. Coogan, Instructor	275.00	
Ed Gould, Instructor	220.00	
C. Freeman Shaw, Tresas. FICA A/C	152.04	
		$ 4,122.50
Books		
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	$1,785.00	
State Library	3.89	
Treasurer of the United States	13.75	
Book of the Month Club	98.35	
Time-Life Co.	24.85	
Field Enterprises	5.95	
American Heritage	29.10	
Spencer International Press	66.33	
The Apple Tree Book Store	7.10	

American International Corp.	8.00	
Charles Scribner & Sons	85.00	
Arot In America	9.95	
National Book Week	10.35	
American Library Association	12.00	
Janet Carr	20.00	
The Groiler Society	67.12	
R. R. Bower Co.	38.00	
The Collier Co.	4.25	
Comptons Home Library Service	5.95	
Silver Burdett Company	39.35	
The H. W. Wilson Co.	46.00	
J. Woods Publications	47.08	
Childrens Book Council Inc.	9.40	
		$ 2,436.77
Records		
Record Club of America	$ 57.54	
Morins Music Center	140.31	
Bonus Record Offer	5.00	
Readers Digest Association	14.17	
		$ 217.02
Magazines		
Hogg News Agency	$ 123.11	
Science Year	5.95	
National Geographic	8.00	
Foreign Affirs	5.00	
		$ 142.06
Supplies		
The Wagon Wheel	$ 2.24	
American Contract Bridge	42.40	
F. Wiggin	5.00	
D. Peck	5.78	
R. Bailey (Stamps)	7.35	
Doris Clark	3.90	
Ben Clement	.52	
The H. W. Wilson Co.	32.0J	
Demco Library Supplies	175.60	
		$ 274.79
Fuel		
Paul's Home Service Inc.	$ 146.96	
Peoples Gas & Oil Co.	42.02	
		$ 188.98

Insurance		
Ralph M. Wiggin, Ins.	$ 214.95	
Ed Caron Insurance Co.	11.00	
Lockwood Bodwell & Covell	1.68	
Concord General Mutual Insurance Co.	36.05	
		$ 263.68
Maintenance		
Clarks Hardware	$ 15.41	
J. J. Moreau & Son Inc.	13.84	
Paul's Home Service Inc.	25.75	
A. H. Rice Co. Inc.	12.95	
		$ 67.95
Bank Service Charges		$ 17.22
Telephone—New England Telephone		$ 50.67
Dues and Travel Expense		$ 28.20
Balance on hand January 1, 1967		$ 1.39
		$ 7,809.84

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT A. BAILEY,

Treasurer

THE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF MANCHESTER

The services of the Visiting Nurse Association are available for all of the residents of Manchester, Auburn, Bedford, Candia, Goffstown and Hooksett regardless of race, creed, or ability to pay. The Association is a home health agency certified to care for Medicare patients.

The Visiting Nurse provides bedside nursing care and treatment according to the directions of the patient's physician. She gives the supervision and therapy that are needed for the rehabilitation of the patient. Instruction in maternal and infant care during pregnancy and after the baby comes is another important service.

The Visiting Nurse is also a health teacher who gives family health guidance.

Mrs. Irene Richmond, R.N. and Mrs. Grace Gage, R.N. made 278 visits to 50 families in Bedford in 1965. This is now part of the United Fund service.

The physician, patient, family, or friend may call the Visiting Nurse Association for service. Call 622-3781, Monday through Friday, 8-4:30 p.m., 194 Concord Street, Manchester, New Hampshire.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL DISTRICT

for the

TOWN OF BEDFORD, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 1965 TO JUNE 1966

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14 day of March, 1967, at 7:30 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following questions:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The Polls will be open from 7:30 A.M. and will close no earlier than 6:00 P.M.

Given under our hands at said Bedford this 20th day of February, 1967.

EARLE TRYDER,
JACK B. MIDDLETON,
ANNA S. VAN LOAN,
School Board

A true copy of Warrant attached

EARLE TRYDER,
JACK B. MIDDLETON,
ANNA S. VAN LOAN,
School Board

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Bedford, new Hampshire qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the McKelvie School in said District on the 28th day of March, 1967, at 8:00 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following questions:

1. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to sell the Peter Woodbury School and approximately two acres of land, on which said school is located, for the sum of $20,000.00.

2. To see if the District will vote to transfer to a Capital Reserve Fund, established for the purpose of acquisition of land and/or building construction, all or any part of the monies derived from the sale of school buildings and land and to determine the amount to be transferred.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray school district charges for the ensuing year:

Administration	$ 1,935.00
Instruction	308,934.00
Health Services	4,961.00
Transportation	26,000.00
Operation of School Plant	45,707.00
Maintenance of Plant	7,287.00
Fixed Charges	29,762.18
Lunch and Milk Program	7,000.00
Student Body Activities	2,130.00
Capital Outlay	28,709.00
Debt Service	137,684.75
Outgoing Transfers	174,029.37
Summer School	1,500.00
PL 89:10 Title I	8,000.00
	$783,639.30

and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Foundation Aid Fund together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation which balance is to be raised by taxes by the Town:

REVENUE ESTIMATES

State Programs	$ 58,800.00
Federal Programs	13,500.00
District	1,104.00
	$ 73,404.00

4. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Given under our hands at said Bedford this 27th day of February, 1967.

EARLE TRYDER,
JACK B. MIDDLETON,
ANNA S. VAN LOAN,
School Board

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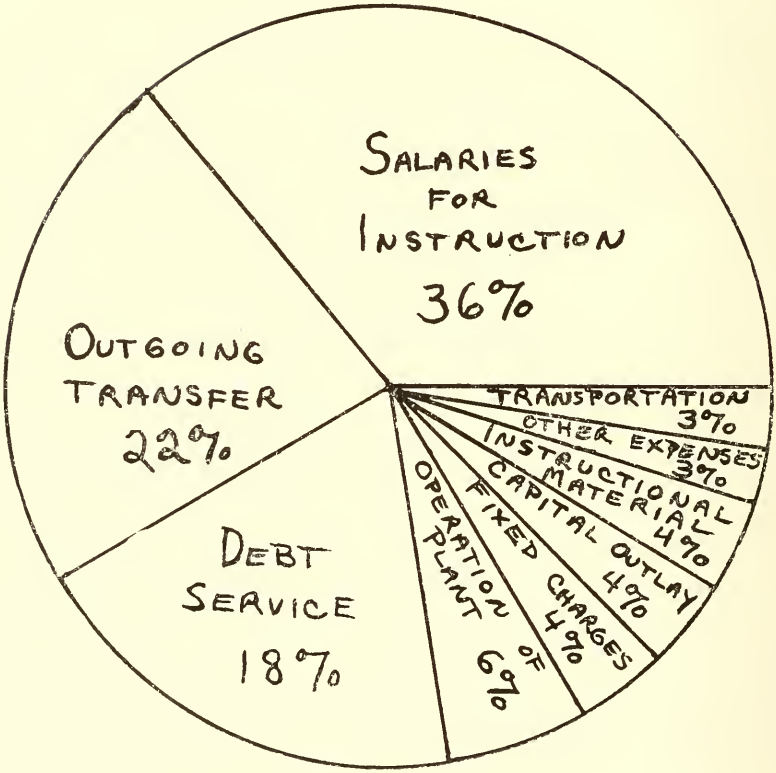
BEDFORD 1967-68



DISTRIBUTION OF THE DOLLAR

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF

BEDFORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

1967-1968

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Approved Budget 1966-67	School Board's Budget 1967-68	Budget Committee's Budget 1967-68
100. Administration			
110. Salaries	$ 1,100.00	$ 1,100.00	$ 1,100.00
135. Contracted Services	325.00	400.00	400.00
190. Other Expenses	370.00	435.00	435.00
200. Instruction			
210. Salaries	225,180.00	281,236.00	281,236.00
215. Textbooks	5,996.00	7,845.00	7,845.00
220. Library and Audiovisual Materials	*7,668.00	*9,809.00	*9,809.00
230. Teaching Supplies	8,292.00	8,994.00	8,994.00
235. Contracted Services	50.00	50.00	50.00
290. Other Expenses	829.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
400. Health Services	4,958.00	4,961.00	4,961.00
500. Pupil Transportation	21,546.00	26,000.00	26,000.00
600. Operation of Plant			
610. Salaries	10,300.00	16,490.00	16,490.00
630. Supplies	2,400.00	4,652.00	4,652.00
635. Contracted Services	100.00	250.00	250.00
640. Heat	9,600.00	12,600.00	12,600.00
645. Utilities	9,430.00	11,465.00	11,465.00
690. Other Expenses	225.00	250.00	250.00
700. Maintenance of Plant	6,790.00	7,287.00	7,287.00
800. Fixed Charges			
850. Employee Retirement and F.I.C.A.	19,392.74	24,875.18	24,875.18
855. Insurance	3,923.00	4,887.00	4,887.00
*900. School Lunch and Spec. Milk Program	5,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
1000. Student-Body Activities	1,490.00	2,130.00	2,130.00
1200. Capital Outlay			
1265. Sites	*20,000.00		
1266. Buildings	700,000.00	*24,000.00	*24,000.00
1267. Equipment	*14,972.00	4,709.00	4,709.00
1300. Debt Service			
1370. Principal of Debt	91,000.00	91,000.00	91,000.00
1371. Interest on Debt	47,361.25	46,684.75	46,684.75
1477. Outgoing Transfer Accounts in State			
1477.1. Tuition	118,080.00	158,200.00	158,200.00
1477.3. Supervisory Union Expenses	10,786.56	12,421.37	12,421.37
1478. Outgoing Transfer Acc'ts. out of State			
1478.1. Tuition	600.00		
1479. Expenditures to other than Pub. Schools	2,000.00	3,408.00	3,408.00
1700. Summer School	500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
1900. PL 89:10 Title I	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	$1,358,264.55	$783,639.30	$783,639.30

* Contingent upon Sweepstakes

Revenues and Credits Available To Reduce School Taxes	Approved Revenues 1966-67	School Board's Budget 1967-68	Budget Committee's Budget 1967-68
UNENCUBERED BALANCE	$ 5,084.22		
Revenue from State Sources:			
Sweepstakes	*30,000.00	*$ 30,000.00	*$ 30,000.00
School Building Aid	20,719.18	27,300.00	27,300.00
Driver Education	200.00		
Intellectually Retarded	500.00		
Revenue from Federal Sources:			
NDEA-Title III-Science, Math and Lang.	800.00	500.00	500.00
NDEA-Title V-Guidance and Testing	2,250.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Sch. Lunch and Special Milk Program	3,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
PL 89:10 (ESEA) Title I	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Local Revenue Except Taxes:			
Tuition, Summer School	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Rent	100.00	100.00	100.00
Other Revenue from Local Sources, Filing Fees	4.00	4.00	4.00
Bonds-Notes and Capital Res. Funds:			
Bond or Note Issues	700,000.00		
Total Revenues and Credits	$ 771,657.40	$ 73,404.00	$ 73,404.00
District Assessment to be Raised by Property Taxes	$ 586.607.15	$710,235.30	$710,235.30
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	$1,358,264.55	$783.639.30	$783,639.30

Detail on items under Capital Outlay in 1967-68 Budget to be financed by bonds, notes and/or withdrawal from capital reserve funds:

JOHN J. REILLY, JR.
ROBERT A. RAULERSON
AUBREY G. ROBINSON, JR.
EUGENE M. VAN LOAN, JR.
JACK B. MIDDLETON
PAUL J. MANNING
JOHN JACOBSON, JR.
RUSSELL C. KEELER

February 16, 1967

Budget Committee

BEDFORD SCHOOL BUDGET 1967-1968

Series	Expended 1965-66	Budgeted 1966-67	Proposed 1967-68
100 *Administration*			
110 *Salaries of District Officials*			
School Board—1 at 250.—2 at 275.	$ 800.00	$ 800.00	$ 800.00
Moderator	15.00	15.00	15.00
Clerk	35.00	35.00	35.00
Treasurer	125.00	250.00	250.00
	$ 975.00	$ 1,100.00	$ 1,100.00
135 *Contracted Services for Administration*			
Auditors	$ 50.00	$ 50.00	$ 50.00
Census Taker	175.00	175.00	250.00
Counsel Fees		50.00	50.00
District Meeting Costs	189.50	50.00	50.00
Other	574.50		
	$ 989.00	$ 325.00	$ 400.00
190 *Other Expenses of Dist. Officers*			
N.H.S.B.A. Dues	$ 40.00	$ 125.00	$ 140.00
Advertising	241.45	75.00	75.00
Treasurer's Expenses	124.10	60.00	120.00
Committee Expenses	50.00	50.00	50.00
Supplies of Dist. Officers	31.50	60.00	50.00
Other	98.40		
	$ 548.45	$ 370.00	$ 435.00
TOTAL 100 SERIES	$ 2,549.45	$ 1.795.00	$ 1.935.00
200 *Salaries for Instruction*			
210 Salaries of Teachesr, Principals & Clerical	$180,596.56	$ 225,180.00	$281,236.00
215 *Textbooks*			
Replacements			
Memorial 357 at $5.00		$ 1,735.00	$ 1,785.00
McKelvie 489 at $7.00		2,212.00	3,423.00
Buswell		693.00	
210 :E New Series		418.00	2,282.00
210:J New Series			355.00
	$ 5,964.92	$ 5,996.00	$ 7.845.00
220 *Libraries and Audio Visual Mat.*			
220:1E Library Books	$ 990.07	*$ 6,000.00	$ 2,000.00
			*5,000.00
220:2E Audio Visual Rentals		65.00	65.00
220:3E Filmstrips			*1,000.00
		202.00	257.00
220:3J Filmstrips		111.00	
220:4E Maps, Charts, Globes		361.00	759.00
220:5E Other		909.00	
220:5J Other			728.00
	$ 990.07	$ 7,668.00	$ 9,809.00

	Expended 1965-66	Budgeted 1966-67	Proposed 1967-68
230 *Teaching Supplies*			
230:1E Replacement,			
Memorial 357 at $.600		$ 2,082.00	$ 2,142.00
McKelvie 489 at $6.00		1,896.00	2,934.00
Buswell		594.00	
230:2E Guidance and Testing		541.00	403.00
230:3E Choral and Inst. Music		45.00	12.00
230:4E Art—Memorial		455.00	600.00
McKelvie		876.00	1,200.00
230:5E Physical Ed. and Ath.—Memorial	$ 50.00	185.00	208.00
McKelvie		505.00	350.00
230:6E Science—Memorial	262.00	73.00	
McKelvie		270.00	234.00
230:7E Reading—Weekly Readers		3.60	631.00
Jr. Scholastics		400.00	280.00
	$ 6,318.98	$ 8,292.00	$ 8,994.00
235 *Contracted Services*			
T.V. Programming	$ 50.00	$ 50.00	$ 50.00
290 *Other Expenses for Instruction*			
290:1E Office Supplies—Memorial	$ 375.68	$ 22.00	$ 40.00
McKelvie		35.00	53.00
290:2E Graduation	158.53	75.00	100.00
290:3E Professional Meetings	234.51	400.00	550.00
290:4E Teacher Workshop	50.00	20.00	30.00
290:6E Professional Publications,			
Memorial	21.90	40.00	42.00
McKelvie		37.00	
290:7E Report Cards and Records		100.00	85.00
290:8 Postage and Gen'l Fund		100.00	100.00
290:9 Other	252.50		
	$ 1,093.12	$ 829.00	$ 1,000.00
TOTAL 200 SERIES	$195,013.65	$ 248,015.00	$308,934.00
400 *Health Services*			
410 Salaries	$ 2,000.00	$ 4,000.00	$ 4,200.00
490 Other Expenses	241.10	958.00	761.00
TOTAL 400 SERIES	$ 2,241.10	$ 4,958.00	$ 4,961.00
500 *Transportation*			
535 *Contracted Services*	$ 21,546.80	$ 21,546.00	$ 26,000.00
TOTAL 500 SERIES	$ 21,546.80	$ 21,546.00	$ 26,000.00
600 *Operation of School Plant*			
610 Salaries	$ 9,430.92	$ 10,300.00	$ 16,490.00
630 Supplies—Memorial	812.76	1,100.00	2,329.00
McKelvie	1,041.57	1,000.00	2,323.00
Buswell	1.20	300.00	
	$ 1,855.53	$ 2,400.00	$ 4,652.00

	Expended 1965-66	Budgeted 1966-67	Proposed 1967-68
635 Rubbish Removal	$ 151.00	$ 100.00	$ 250.00
640 *Heat*—Memorial	$ 1,747.61	$ 3,000.00	$ 2,500.00
McKelvie	5,218.63	5,800.00	10,100.00
Buswell	1,130.12	800.00	
	$ 8,096.36	$ 9,600.00	$ 12,600.00
645 *Utilities*			
645:1 Water		$ 160.00	$ 150.00
645:2 Gas—Memorial	108.53	150.00	125.00
Buswell		50.00	
645:3 Electricity—Memorial	1,824.07	2,200.00	2,500.00
McKelvie	3,785.89	4,500.00	7,200.00
Buswell	657.42	750.00	
Other			90.00
645:4 Telephone—Memorial	345.10	700.00	700.00
McKelvie	422.35	700.00	700.00
Buswell	114.22	200.00	
645:5 Drainage	130.34	20.00	
	$ 7,387.92	$ 9,430.00	$ 11,465.00
690 *Other Expenses*			
690:1 Travel Expenses	$ 200.00	$ 200.00	$ 200.00
690:2 Custodian Workshop		50.00	50.00
	$ 200.00	$ 250.00	$ 250.00
TOTAL 600 SERIES	$ 27,121.73	$ 32,055.00	$ 45,707.00
700 *Maintenance of Plant*			
725:1 Replacement of Inst. Equip.	$ 20.00	$ 180.00	$ 1,579.00
725:2 Replacement of Non-Inst. Equip.		350.00	
726:1 Repairs to Inst. Equip.	107.02	240.00	200.00
735 *Contracted Services*			
735:1 Painting	2,141.29	1,900.00	1,200.00
735:2 Other	1,775.75	1,670.00	3,558.00
766 Repairs to Boilers	603.73	350.00	300.00
766:2 Other	277.38	200.00	450.00
790 Other Expenses	88.95	1,900.00	
TOTAL 700 SERIES	$ 5,014.12	$ 6,790.00	$ 7,287.00
800 *Fixed Charges*			
850:2 Teachers and Nurse Retirement	$ 8,677.62	$ 11,394.10	$ 14,083.80
850:3 Teachers and Nurse F.I.C.A.	4,445.12	7,566.04	9,797.42
850:4 Custodian and Secretary		432.60	993.96
850:5 Insurance	2,587.57	3,923.00	4,887.00
TOTAL 800 SERIES	$ 15,710.31	$ 23,315.74	$ 29,762.18
900 *Special Lunch and Spec. Milk Program*			
975 Federal Monies	$ 4,675.70	$ 3,000.00	$ 5,000.00
975 District Monies	1,600.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
TOTAL 900 SERIES	$ 6,275.70	$ 5,000.00	$ 7,000.00
1000 *Student Body Activities*			
1010 Salaries	$ 500.00	$ 500.00	$ 500.00
1075 *General Support*	571.76		

	Expended 1965-66	Budgeted 1966-67	Proposed 1967-68
1075:4 Field Trips		200.00	600.00
1075:5 Assemblies—Memorial		150.00	180.00
McKelvie		180.00	300.00
1075:7 Transportation—Assemblies		360.00	400.00
1075:8 Officials		100.00	150.00
TOTAL 1000 SERIES	$ 1,071.76	$ 1,490.00	$ 2,130.00
1200 *Capital Outlay*			
1265 Sites	$ 17,184.96	*$ 20,000.00	
1267 Buildings	7,847.92	700,000.00	*24,000.00
1267 Equipment—Memorial	4,678.43	10,972.00	4,709.00
McKelvie	2,167.75		
TOTAL 1200 SERIES	$ 31,879.06	$ 734,972.00	$ 28,709.00
1300 *Debt Service*			
1370 Principal	$ 56,000.00	$ 91,000.00	$ 91,000.00
1371 Interest	22,802.75	47,361.25	46,684.75
TOTAL 1300 SERIES	$ 78,802.75	$ 138,361.25	$137,684.75
1400 *Outgoing Transfer Accounts*			
1477:1 Tuition (In State)	$102,193.77	$ 118,080.00	$158,200.00
1477:3 Dist. Share of S. U. No. 27 Expenses	9,291.31	10,786.56	12,421.37
1478:1 Tuition (out of State)	19.05	600.00	
1479:1 Tuition other than public schools	656.00	1,800.00	1,604.00
1479:2 Tutoring	87.22	200.00	200.00
1479:3 Transportation			1,604.00
TOTAL 1400 SERIES	$112,247.35	$ 131,466.56	$174,029.37
1700 *Summer School*		$ 500.00	$ 1,500.00
1900 *Title I*	$ 5,099.50	$ 8,000.00	$ 8,000.00
GRAND TOTAL 100-1700 SERIES	$504,573.28	$1,358,264.55	$783,639.30

REVENUE ESTIMATE

	Received 1965-66	Budgeted 1966-67	Proposed 1967-68
Federal Programs			
PL 874	$ 586.00		
NDEA	752.89	$ 800.00	$ 500.00
School Lunch	4,675.70	3,000.00	5,000.00
Title I	5,099.50	8,000.00	8,000.00
State Program			
School Building	16,800.00	20,719.18	27,300.00
Sweepstakes	*17,131.88	*30,000.00	*30,000.00
Driver Ed.		200.00	

	Expended 1965-66	Budgeted 1966-67	Proposed 1967-68
Special Class	657.77	500.00	
Guidance		2,250.00	1,500.00
District			
Tuition Summer School		1,000.00	1,000.00
Rentals	35.00	100.00	100.00
Filing Fees	5.00	4.00	4.00
Other	3.00	700,000.00	
Unanticipated			
Unencumbered Balance	10,717.29	5,084.22	
	$ 56,464.03	$ 771,657.40	$ 73.404.00
Total Appropriation		$1,358,264.55	$783,639.30
To Be Raised		$ 586,607.15	$710,235.30

BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT

ON

SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET

School Budget Report

We have examined the School Budget in detail and found that the School Board, after screening the requests of the Superintendent's office, had submitted a fiscally sound budget. Any deletion made by the Budget Committee would result in reducing the scope of the Educational Program being offered in the Town at present. We have not received any indication from previous school district meetings or at the Budget Hearing that the voters faver such a reduction. We recommend the adoption of the School Budget as presented.

JOHN J. REILLY, JR.,
Chairman

AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have examined the balance sheet of the treasurer of the school district of Bedford, New Hampshire as of June 30, 1966 and the related statements of revenues and expenses and fund equities for the year then ended. Our examination was conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the balance sheet of the treasurer of the school district of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire and the related statements of revenues and expenses and fund equities present fairly the financial position of the funds of the school district of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire at June 30, 1966, and the results of operations for the year then ended in conformity with accounting practices generally followed by municipalities, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

RICHARD B. MORGAN, C.P.A.,

ROBERT A. BAILEY,

Auditors

July 29, 1966

BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30, 1966

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1966	
General Fund	$ 5,101.22
Building Fund	700,000.00
Accounts Due the District	0.00
Total Assets	$ 705,101.22
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilitites over Assets)	1,392,898.78
Grand Total	$2,098,000.00

Liabilities

Amounts Reserved for Special Purpose:	
Building Fund	$ 700,000.00
Accounts Owed by District	0.00
Notes and Bonds Outstanding	1,398,000.00
Total Liabilities	$2,098,000.00
Grand Total	$2,098,000.00

STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

1.	Name of Building or Projects for which Notes or Bonds Were Issued	Bedford Memorial School McKelvie School
2.	Outstanding at Beginning of Year	$ 805,000.00
3.	Issued During Year	700,000.00
4.	Total (line 2 plus 3)	1,454,000.00
5.	Payments of Principal of Debt	56,000.00
6.	Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year (line 4 minus 5)	$1,398,000.00

1967-68

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

Cash on Hand July 1, 1965 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		$ 10,717.29
Received from Selectmen (Current Appropriation)	$453,193.47	
Revenue from State Sources	40,089.15	
Revenue from Federal Sources	6,014.59	
Received from All Other Sources	2,894.99	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$502,192.20
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance & Receipts)		$512,909.49
Less School Board Orders Paid		507,808.27
Balance on Hand June 30, 1966 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		$ 5,101.22

HENRY A. BLOOD,

July 1, 1966 *District Treasurer*

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bedford, N. H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966 and find them correct in all respects.

RICHARD B. MORGAN, CPA

ROBERT A. BAILEY

August 23, 1966 *Auditors*

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1965 to June 30, 1966

McKelvie School Building Fund

Cash on Hand July 1, 1965 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	$ 9,385.27
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	9,385.27
Less School Board Orders Paid	9,385.27
Balance on Hand June 30, 1966	$ 0.00

HENRY A. BLOOD,

July 1, 1966 *District Treasurer*

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RICHARD B. MORGAN, CPA

ROBERT A. BAILEY

August 23, 1966 *Auditors*

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Date	*From Whom*	*Description*	*Amount*
7-13-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	$10,000.00
8- 4-65	House & Garden Shop	Rent of School	25.00
8- 4-65	State Treasurer	School Lunch	819.34
8- 4-65	State Treasurer	School Lunch	216.48
8- 4-65	Cambosco Scientific Co.	Refund	10.75
7- 8-65	Peter Dolloff	Summer School	1,575.00
7-15-65	Peter Dolloff	Summer School	167.00
7-15-65	Beatrice Costanzo	Summer School	15.00
8-30-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	15,000.00
9-15-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	5,000.00
9-23-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	35,000.00
9-22-65	Josephine Fearon	Desk	3.00
10-14-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	20,000.00
10-25-65	Marie Davenport	Damage to School	5.00
10-25-65	State Treasurer	Driver Education	400.00
10-25-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	50,000.00
11- 1-65	Barbara Kilgus	Damage	5.00
11- 1-65	Charles Abbe	Damage	6.00
11-13-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	10,000.00
11-15-65	Barbara O'Shea	Damage	6.00
11-15-65	State Treasurer	School Lunch	382.12
12- 1-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	5,000.00
12- 7-65	Flora Allen	Damage	5.00
12- 9-65	Selectmen	Appropriation	65,000.00
12-22-65	Bedford Womens Club	Rent of School	10.00
12-22-65	State Treasurer	Sweepstakes	17,131.88
12-22-65	State Treasurer	School Lunch	420.49
12-22-65	Berry & Edgerly	Refund	108.60
1- 5-66	Selectmen	Appropriation	88,193.47
1- 5-66	State Treasurer	School Lunch	491.83
1- 5-66	Aetna Insurance Co.	Vandalism Claim	3.75
1- 5-66	Pawtucket Mutual	Vandalism Claim	11.25
2- 7-66	State Treasurer	School Lunch	453.17
2-23-66	Berry & Edgerly	Refund	2.60
3- 9-66	State Treasurer	School Lunch	542.63
4- 4-66	State Treasurer	School Lunch	431.07
4-13-66	Selectmen	Appropriation	50,000.00
4-22-66	State Treasurer	NDEA	752.89
5- 9-66	Joseph Lacourse	Damage	3.00
5- 9-66	Paul Smith	Damage	3.00
5- 9-66	State Treasurer	School Lunch	508.72
5-13-66	Selectmen	Appropriation	50,000.00
6- 9-66	State Treasurer	School Lunch	409.85
6- 9-66	U. S. Treasurer	P.L. 874	586.00
6- 9-66	State Treasurer	Title 1	5,099.50
6- 9-66	Doris Peck	Filing Fees	5.00
6-13-66	Selectmen	Appropriation	25,000.00
6-18-66	State Treasurer	Building Aid	16,800.00
6-22-66	Walter Melendy	Insurance Refund	720.04
6-25-66	State Treasurer	Intellectually Retarded	657.77
6-28-66	Selectmen	Appropriation	25,000.00
6-29-66	School Lunch	Water Heater	205.00
			$502,192.20

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Salaries of District Officers:				
Jack Middleton—School Board	$	250.00		
Earl Tryder—School Board		250.00		
Ann Van Loan—School Board		300.00		
Henry Blood—Treasurer		125.00		
Doris B. Peck—Clerk		35.00		
Robert Raulerson—Moderator		15.00		
			$	975.00
Contracted Services for Administration:				
Gertrude Keeler	$	175.00		
Gillis French		25.00		
John R. Burleigh		25.00		
Hill & Hesslein		394.50		
Rollins, King & McKone		180.00		
Arthur Bostwick		13.50		
Roland Latulippe		22.00		
James Kolenski		22.00		
Dale Johnson		22.00		
Ernest Tremblay		10.00		
Mrs. C. Osman Clapp		15.00		
Robert Bullock		15.00		
Charles Hardy		15.00		
Alexander Majeski		15.00		
James Gleason		15.00		
Earl Isham, Jr.		15.00		
Byron Peck		10.00		
			$	989.00
Other Expenses for Administration:				
Goffstown News	$	85.35		
Union Leader Corporation		156.10		
Treasurer State of N. H.		16.00		
Henry Blood		124.10		
Maxfield Press		26.50		
Manchester Country Club		12.50		
Harriet Mansfield		3.95		
Bedford Mothers Club		3.10		

Pelham Inn	25.00	
N. H. School Boards Association	40.00	
Spaulding Co., Inc.	58.00	
Sheraton Wayfarer	12.50	
Fitzpatrick Printers	5.00	
R. H. Llewellyn Co.	17.35	
		$ 585.45

Salaries for Instruction:

Helen Andersen	$ 6,100.00
Evelyn Barton	6,450.00
Leonard Bernard	4,700.00
Linda Blanchard	5,300.00
Mary Boldgett	2,531.46
Cornelia Callahan	4,500.00
Irene Colpitts	2,737.92
Maynard Contois	5,900.00
Beatrice Costanzo	5,900.00
Peter Dolloff	6,800.00
Sylvia Edmunds	6,300.00
Catherine Fuhrel	4,500.00
Pauline Goodhue	6,300.00
Robin Grant	2,876.67
Marilyn Guillemette	6,300.00
Pauline Hale	4,500.00
Richard Janelle	4,700.00
Ursula Jensen	6,300.00
Mildred Lyons	5,700.00
Dorothy McLain	6,300.00
Margaret McShea	4,500.00
Barbara Manning	4,700.00
David Meltzer	1,075.00
Susan O'Connor	4,500.00
Elaine Ostergren	5,800.00
Nancy Pope	4,700.00
Phyllis Poulin	4,700.00
Carl Shaw	8,000.00
Judith Schlegel	4,500.00
Rosemary Shea	4,900.00
Patricia Simmons	4,900.00

Ann Stromgren	2,250.00	
Annabelle Ton	1,972.00	
Judith Wildman	5,300.00	
Barbara Wilson	1,866.20	
William Wilson	5,100.00	
Diane Zito	5,071.67	
Rinehart Handwriting System	850.00	
Substitutes	1,214.84	
		$180,596.56

Textbooks:

McGraw-Hill Book Company	$ 108.22	
Science Research Associates	971.15	
American Book Company	1,031.96	
Follett Publishing Company	101.45	
Benefic Press	144.30	
Auclair Transportation Co.	2.40	
Atlantic Business Forms Company	17.50	
Grosset & Dunlap	28.05	
Continental Press	3.47	
Thermo-Fax Sales, Inc.	30.46	
National Education Association	23.65	
American Education Publications	78.40	
Milton Bradley Company	108.93	
WENH-TV	9.35	
D. C. Heath & Company	55.41	
McCormick-Mathers Publications	16.27	
Taft Business Machines, Inc.	50.00	
H. W. Wilson Company	45.28	
Prentice-Hall Inc.	15.38	
Silver Burdett Company	293.07	
Holt, Rinehart & Winston, Inc.	683.60	
Houghton Mifflin Company	169.98	
Scott, Foresman Company	74.50	
Ginn and Company	848.00	
Harper & Row Publishing Company	586.56	
British Publications	68.50	
Plays, Inc.	27.40	
Martin Murray Corporation	128.92	
Rand-McNally & Company	25.40	

J. L. Hammett Company	5.33	
Mainco School Supply Company	30.88	
Marks-Savage Inc.	181.15	
		$ 5,964.92
Library & Audio-visual:		
Houghton Mifflin Company	$ 30.89	
McGraw-Hill Book Company	196.09	
Science Research Associates	35.95	
Follett Publishing Company	41.67	
Frontier Press Company	37.00	
F. E. Compton Company	99.50	
Rand McNally & Company	330.06	
The National Survey	44.70	
Educational Record Sales	40.63	
Lyon & Carnahan, Inc.	4.16	
Thermo-Fax Sales, Inc.	93.92	
China Publishing Company	2.50	
U. S. News & World Report	16.00	
F. A. Owen Publishing Company	17.00	
		$ 990.07
Teaching Supplies:		
McGraw-Hill Book Company	$ 104.70	
Science Research Associates	746.52	
American Book Company	638.55	
Taft Business Machines Co.	534.05	
Harper & Row Publishers	47.34	
McCormick-Mathers Publishers	42.63	
Milton Bradley Company	1,521.77	
Cambosco Scientific Company	119.71	
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.	22.79	
American Education Publications	322.20	
Scott, Foresman Company	273.10	
3M Business Products Sales	123.90	
Scholastic Magazines, Inc.	40.80	
Demco	53.90	
Central Paper Products Co.	8.40	
J. L. Hammett Company	76.86	
Thomas Y. Crowell Company	7.00	
William Morrow & Company	4.30	
Ginn and Company	5.40	

Community Gas Company		3.25		
Philip Morris Company		10.90		
			$	4,708.07
Testing:				
N. H. State Department of Education	$	47.00		
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.		433.40		
			$	480.40
Physical Education Supplies:				
Crystal Cleaners	$	30.00		
Marks-Savage, Inc.		20.00		
			$	50.00
Music:				
Taft Business Machines Co.	$	22.10		
Milton Bradley Company		81.34		
The Music Mart		54.00		
Houghton Mifflin Company		3.10		
Follett Publishing Company		3.65		
Lyons Band Instrument Company		61.82		
Random House		3.54		
Holt, Rinehart & Winston, Inc.		3.42		
Affiliated Publishers		3.13		
Radio Corporation of America		35.53		
Doubleday & Company Inc.		6.57		
Sterling Publishing Company		2.56		
N. H. Music Educators Association		5.00		
Carl Fischer, Inc.		38.50		
			$	324.26
Art:				
J. L. Hammett Company	$	500.00		
			$	500.00
Science:				
Cambosco Scientific Company	$	262.00		
			$	262.00
Contracted Services for Instruction:				
WENH-TV	$	50.00		
			$	50.00
Other Expenses for Instruction:				
Milton Bradley Company	$	30.79		
Fitzpatrick Printers		19.90		

Peter Dolloff	71.25	
Carl Shaw	78.46	
National School Methods	23.95	
Bedford Memorial—Petty Cash	60.00	
McKelvie School—Petty Cash	50.00	
Mainco School Supply Company	15.83	
J. L. Hammett Company	59.86	
Supervisory Union #27	50.00	
Edson C. Eastman Company	18.46	
Teachers Publishing Corporation	9.90	
National Council of Teachers of Math	7.00	
National Council of Teachers of English	5.00	
Barbara Ramig	32.90	
Rosemary Shea	33.90	
88 Restaurant	52.50	
Keystone Press	79.75	
Maxfield Press	90.25	
Pelham School District	3.72	
Marilyn Guillemette	6.00	
Evelyn Barton	6.00	
Beatrice Costanzo	6.00	
Nancy Pope	100.00	
Elaine Ostergren	100.00	
Jones Typewriter Company	3.00	
A. H. Rice Company	7.15	
K. G. Moore, Inc.	59.55	
		$ 1,081.12
Salary of Nurse:		
Gladys Smend, RN	$ 2,000.00	
		$ 2,000.00
Other Expenses for Health Services:		
Edson C. Eastman Company	$ 11.90	
Colls Medical Supplies, Inc.	37.36	
Sun-Dry Cleaners	5.00	
Gladys Smend, RN	5.00	
Taft Business Machines, Inc.	4.24	
Gardner F. Manning, MD	155.00	
Milton Bradley Company	2.60	
John Kennard, MD	20.00	
		$ 241.10

Transportation:		
Russell Keeler	$ 21,546.80	
		$ 21,546.80
Salaries of Janitors:		
Gordon Ellison	$ 3,485.42	
Donald Flanders	3,222.50	
John Gott	1,680.00	
Paul Manning	1,012.00	
William Cupples	31.00	
		$ 9,430.92
Janitors Supplies:		
Cascade School Supplies	$ 54.46	
Manchester Paper Supply Co.	268.80	
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co.	1,279.00	
J. J. Moreau & Son	4.33	
Hobart-Dayton	43.20	
Pelham School District	9.24	
Clark's Hardware	19.38	
Motor Service & Supply	7.30	
Nashua Supply Company	21.97	
Sanel	111.78	
Auto Electric Service Co.	3.30	
John J. Reilly, Inc.	.65	
Crade Distributing Company	20.85	
Luxor Lighting Products	11.27	
		$ 1,855.53
Contracted Services for Operation of Plant:		
Gordon Ellison	$ 130.00	
Wilfred Routhier	21.00	
		$ 151.00
Heat:		
Paul's Home Service, Inc.	$ 1,622.12	
Manchester Coal & Oil Company	1,255.61	
Public Service Company	5,218.63	
		$ 8,096.36
Water & Drainage:		
Frank H. Barnard	$ 20.00	
Manchester Water Works	110.34	
		$ 130.34

Electricity:		
Public Service Company	$ 6,267.38	
		$ 6,267.38
Gas:		
Community Gas Company	$ 108.53	
		$ 108.53
Telephone:		
New England Telephone Company	$ 881.67	
		$ 881.67
Other Expenses for Operation of Plant:		
Gordon Ellison	$ 200.00	
		$ 200.00
Replacement of Equipment:		
Romeo V. Chagnon	$ 20.00	
		$ 20.00
Repairs to Equipment:		
A. H. Rice Company	$ 68.22	
Ralph R. Fellbaum	27.00	
Stanley E. Smith Company	6.00	
Taft Business Machines, Inc.	5.80	
		$ 107.02
Contracted Services for Maintenance of Plant:		
William W. Turnbull	$ 2,125.00	
Home Modernizing Company	245.00	
Clark's Hardware	16.29	
K. G. Moore, Inc.	195.00	
Frank Hayden	385.00	
Robert C. Smith	909.75	
Waltham Chemical Company	20.00	
Robert Marceau	21.00	
		$ 3,917.04
General Maintenance:		
Frank Hayden	$ 30.00	
J. J. Moreau & Son	25.88	
Clark's Hardware Inc.	29.30	
Demers Plate Glass Co.	122.33	
Caron Construction Company	33.42	
Paul's Home Service, Inc.	51.78	
Reynolds W. Smith	3.00	

John J. Reilly, Inc.	14.67	
Donald Flanders	15.00	
		$ 325.38
Boiler Maintenance:		
Paul's Home Service, Inc.	$ 603.73	
		$ 603.73
Other Expenses for Maintenance of Plant:		
Gordon Ellison	$ 41.50	
Donald Flanders	33.60	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	13.85	
		$ 88.95
Fixed Charges:		
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	$ 8,677.62	
F.I.C.A.	4,445.12	
		$ 13,122.74
Insurance:		
Berry & Edgerly	$ 3,418.81	
		$ 3,418.81
School Lunch:		
Ruth Gott	$ 900.00	
Federal Monies	4,675.70	
District Monies	500.00	
Travel	200.00	
		$ 6,275.70
Salaries for Student-Body Activities:		
Philip Bograd	$ 500.00	
		$ 500.00
Expenses for Support of Student-Body Activities:		
YWCA of Manchester	$ 10.00	
Russell C. Keeler	352.61	
Marks-Savage, Inc.	97.15	
Al Swiesz	35.00	
Leonard Bernard	43.00	
Richard Janelle	24.00	
Carl Shaw	10.00	
		$ 571.76
Sites:		
N. H. Landscaping, Inc.	$ 1,919.11	
Curt Gordon	5,775.05	

Hussey Mfg. Co.	4,992.00	
Canfield	2,265.52	
Capitol Theatre Supply Co.	2,233.28	
		$ 17,184.96
Buildings:		
Manchester Water Works	$ 7,847.92	
		$ 7,847.92
New Equipment:		
Cascade School Supplies	$ 2,006.35	
The Jarmak Company	1,331.50	
Grade-Aid Corporation	306.00	
Maine Mfg. Company	16.00	
Supervisory Union #27	6.96	
The Welch Scientific Co.	645.67	
Thermo-Fax Sales, Inc.	379.00	
Milton Bradley Company	141.45	
Interstate Restaurant Company	135.50	
Community Gas Company	205.00	
A. H. Rice Company	192.00	
American Playground Device Co.	103.99	
Manchester Oxygen Company	111.50	
Lyons Iron Works	65.00	
Hobart Mfg. Company	450.00	
Cambosco Scientific Company	500.00	
Newton Potters Supply	455.26	
		$ 7,051.18
Principal of Debt:		
New England Merchants Nat'l Bank	$ 45,000.00	
Manchester National Bank	11,000.00	
		$ 56,000.00
Interest on Debt:		
New England Merchants Nat'l Bank	$ 21,867.50	
Manchester National Bank	935.25	
		$ 22,802.75
Tuition (In-State):		
City of Manchester, N. H.		$102,193.77
District's Share of Supervisory Union Expenses		$ 9,291.31
Tuition (Out-of-State):		
City of Boston	$ 19.05	
		$ 19.05

Tuition to Private Non-Secterian Schools:

Miss Jacques Private School	$ 656.00	
		$ 656.00

Salaries for Summer School:

Robert Dinwoodie	$ 600.00	
Beatrice Costanzo	340.00	
Barbara Manning	340.00	
Lillian Wheeler	260.00	
		$ 1,540.00

Other Expenses for Summer School:

Robert Dinwoodie	$ 84.75
Paul Guillemette	20.00
Elizabeth Delaney	20.00
Flora Marchant	20.00
John Mumford	20.00
Alice Trask	20.00
Shirley Colby	20.00
Barbara Ton	20.00
Cynthia Dwire	20.00
Brian Robinson	20.00
Carol Leonard	20.00
Cynthia Ellis	20.00
John Zankowski	20.00
Sharyn Bass	20.00
Mary-Jane Ammon	20.00
Kathleen Inglis	20.00
Marcia Levasseur	20.00
Jerry Forrest	20.00
Jim Forrest	20.00
Donna Lyons	20.00
Donald Hunter	20.00
The French Agency	28.00
Jones Typewriter Company	75.00
McGraw-Hill Book Company	36.97
Bobbs-Merrill Company	32.68
Science Research Assoc.	8.87

The H. M. Rowe Company	21.65	
Readers Digest Services	6.30	
		$ 704.22
Title I:		
A. H. Rice Company	$ 4,848.05	
Science Research Associates	173.70	
Educational Developmental Laboratories	77.75	
		$ 5,099.50
TOTAL		$507,808.27

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS ON BONDS

$159,000.00

Bedford, New Hampshire School District

2.15%

Amount Outstanding	Date	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total
$159,000.00	Apr. 1, 1955	None	$1,709.25	$ 1,709.25
	Oct. 1, 1955	$11,000.00	1,709.25	12,709.25
148,000.00	Apr. 1, 1956	None	1,591.00	1,591.00
	Oct. 1, 1956	11,000.00	1,591.00	12,591.00
137,000.00	Apr. 1, 1957	None	1,472.75	1,472.75
	Oct. 1, 1957	11,000.00	1,472.75	12,472.75
126,000.00	Apr. 1, 1958	None	1,354.50	1,354.50
	Oct. 1, 1958	11,000.00	1,354.50	12.354.50
115,000.00	Apr. 1, 1959	None	1,236.25	1,236.25
	Oct. 1, 1959	11,000.00	1,236.25	12,236.25
104,000.00	Apr. 1, 1960	None	1,118.00	1,118.00
	Oct. 1, 1960	11,000.00	1,118.00	12,118.00
93,000.00	Apr. 1, 1961	None	999.75	999.75
	Oct. 1, 1961	11,000.00	999.75	11,999.75
82,000.00	Apr. 1, 1962	None	881.50	881.50
	Oct. 1, 1962	11,000.00	881.50	11,881.50
71,000.00	Apr. 1, 1963	None	763.25	763.25
	Oct. 1, 1963	11,000.00	763.25	11,763.25
60,000.00	Apr. 1, 1964	None	645.00	645.00
	Oct. 1, 1964	11,000.00	645.00	11,645.00
49,000.00	Apr. 1, 1965	None	526.75	526.75
	Oct. 1, 1965	11,000.00	526.75	11,526.75
38,000.00	Apr. 1, 1966	None	408.50	408.50
	Oct. 1, 1966	11,000.00	408.50	11,408.50
27,000.00	Apr. 1, 1967	None	290.25	290.25
	Oct. 1, 1967	11,000.00	290.25	11,290.25
16,000.00	Apr. 1, 1968	None	172.00	172.00
	Oct. 1, 1968	11,000.00	172.00	11,172.00
5,000.00	Apr. 1, 1969	None	53.75	53.75
	Oct. 1, 1969	5,000.00	53.75	5,053.75

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS ON BONDS

$70,000.00

Bedford, New Hampshire School District

3.70%

Amount Outstanding	Date	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total
$ 70,000.00	Jan. 15, 1960	None	$1,295.00	$ 1,295.00
	July 15, 1960	$10,000.00	1,295.00	11,295.00
60,000.00	Jan. 15, 1961	None	1,110.00	1,110.00
	July 15, 1961	10,000.00	1,110.00	11,110.00
50,000.00	Jan. 15, 1962	None	925.00	925.00
	July 15, 1962	10,000.00	925.00	10,925.00
40,000.00	Jan. 15, 1963	None	740.00	740.00
	July 15, 1963	10,000.00	740.00	10,740.00
30,000.00	Jan. 15, 1964	None	555.00	555.00
	July 15, 1964	5,000.00	555.00	5,555.00
25,000.00	Jan. 15. 1965	None	462.50	462.50
	July 15, 1965	5,000.00	462.50	5,462.50
20,000.00	Jan. 15, 1966	None	370.00	370.00
	July 15, 1966	5,000.00	370.00	5,370.00
15,000.00	Jan. 15, 1967	None	277.50	277.50
	July 15. 1967	5,000.00	277.50	5,277.50
10,000.00	Jan. 15, 1968	None	185.00	185.00
	July 15, 1968	5,000.00	185.00	5,185.00
5,000.00	Jan. 15, 1969	None	92.60	92.60
	July 15, 1969	5,000.00	92.60	5,092.50

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENT ON BONDS

$590,000.00

Bedford, New Hampshire School District

3.20%

Amount Outstanding	Date	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total
$590,000.00	May 1, 1964	None	$9,440.00	$ 9,440.00
	Nov. 1, 1964	None	9,440.00	9,440.00
	May 1, 1965	None	9,440.00	9,440.00
	Nov. 1, 1965	$30,000.00	9,440.00	39,440.00
560,000.00	May 1, 1966	None	8,960.00	8,960.00
	Nov. 1, 1966	30,000.00	8,960.00	38,960.00
530,000.00	May 1, 1967	None	8,480.00	8,480.00
	Nov. 1, 1967	30,000.00	8,480.00	38,480.00
500,000.00	May 1, 1968	None	8,000.00	8,000.00
	Nov. 1, 1968	30,000.00	8,000.00	38,000.00
470,000.00	May 1, 1969	None	7,520.00	7,520.00
	Nov. 1, 1969	30,000.00	7,520.00	37,720.00
440,000.00	May 1, 1970	None	7,040.00	7,040.00
	Nov. 1, 1970	30,000.00	7,040.00	37,040.00
410,000.00	May 1, 1971	None	6,560.00	6,560.00
	Nov. 1, 1971	30,000.00	6,560.00	36,560.00
380,000.00	May 1, 1972	None	6,080.00	6,080.00
	Nov. 1, 1972	30,000.00	6,080.00	36,080.00
350,000.00	May 1, 1973	None	5,600.00	5,600.00
	Nov. 1, 1973	30,000.00	5,600.00	35,600.00
320,000.00	May 1, 1974	None	5,120.00	5,120.00
	Nov. 1, 1974	30,000.00	5,120.00	35,120.00
290,000.00	May 1, 1975	None	4,640.00	4,640.00
	Nov. 1, 1975	30,000.00	4,640.00	34,640.00
260,000.00	May 1, 1976	None	4,160.00	4,160.00
	Nov. 1, 1976	30,000.00	4,160.00	34,160.00
230,000.00	May 1, 1977	None	3,680.00	3,680.00
	Nov. 1, 1977	30,000.00	3,680.00	33,680.00

200,000.00	May 1, 1978	None	3,200.00	3,200.00
	Nov. 1, 1978	30,000.00	3,200.00	33,200.00
170,000.00	May 1, 1979	None	2,720.00	2,720.00
	Nov. 1, 1979	30,000.00	2,720.00	32,720.00
140,000.00	May 1, 1980	None	2,240.00	2,240.00
	Nov. 1, 1980	30,000.00	2,240.00	32,240.00
110,000.00	May 1, 1981	None	1,760.00	1,760.00
	Nov. 1, 1981	30,000.00	1,760.00	31,760.00
80,000.00	May 1, 1982	None	1,280.00	1,280.00
	Nov. 1, 1982	30,000.00	1,280.00	31,280.00
50,000.00	May 1, 1983	None	800.00	800.00
	Nov. 1, 1983	25,000.00	800.00	25,800.00
25,000.00	May 1, 1984	None	400.00	400.00
	Nov. 1, 1984	25,000.00	400.00	25,400.00

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS ON BONDS

$90,000.00

Bedford, New Hampshire School District

3.10%

Amount Outstanding	Date	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total
$ 90,000.00	Mar. 15, 1965	None	$1,395.00	$ 1,395.00
	Sept. 15, 1965	$10,000.00	1,395.00	11,395.00
80,000.00	Mar. 15, 1966	None	1,240.00	1,240.00
	Sept. 15, 1966	10,000.00	1,240.00	11,240.00
70,000.00	Mar. 15, 1967	None	1,085.00	1,085.00
	Sept. 15, 1967	10,000.00	1,085.00	11,085.00
60,000.00	Mar. 15, 1968	None	930.00	930.00
	Sept. 15, 1968	10,000.00	930.00	10,930.00
50,000.00	Mar. 15, 1969	None	775.00	775.00
	Sept. 15, 1969	10,000.00	775.00	10,775.00
40,000.00	Mar. 15, 1970	None	620.00	620.00
	Sept. 15, 1970	10,000.00	620.00	10,620.00
30,000.00	Mar. 15, 1971	None	465.00	465.00
	Sept. 15, 1971	10,000.00	465.00	10,465.00
20,000.00	Mar. 15, 1972	None	310.00	310.00
	Sept. 15, 1972	10,000.00	310.00	10,310.00
10,000.00	Mar. 15, 1973	None	155.00	155.00
	Sept. 15, 1973	10,000.00	155.00	10,155.00

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS ON BONDS

$700,000.00

Bedford, New Hampshire School District

4.10%

Amount Outstanding	Date	Principal Due	Interest Due	Total
$700,000.00	Dec. 15, 1966	None	$14,350.00	$14,350.00
	June 15, 1967	$35,000.00	14,350.00	49,350.00
665,000.00	Dec. 15, 1967	None	13,632.50	13,632.50
	June 15, 1968	35,000.00	13,632.50	48,632.50
630,000.00	Dec. 15, 1968	None	12,915.00	12,915.00
	June 15, 1969	35,000.00	12,915.00	47,915.00
595,000.00	Dec. 15, 1969	None	12,197.50	12,917.50
	June 15, 1970	35,000.00	12,197.50	47,197.50
560,000.00	Dec. 15, 1970	None	11,480.00	11,480.00
	June 15, 1971	35,000.00	11,480.00	46,480.00
525,000.00	Dec. 15, 1971	None	10,762.50	10,762.50
	June 15, 1972	35,000.00	10,762.50	45,762.50
490,000.00	Dec. 15, 1972	None	10,045.00	10,045.00
	June 15, 1973	35,00.00	10,045.00	45,045.00
455,000.00	Dec. 15, 1973	None	9,327.50	9,327.50
	June 15, 1974	35,000.00	9,327.50	44,327.50
420,000.00	Dec. 15, 1974	None	8,610.00	8,610.00
	June 15, 1975	35,000.00	8,610.00	43,610.00
385,000.00	Dec. 15, 1975	None	7,892.50	7,892.50
	June 15, 1976	35,000.00	7,892.50	42,892.50
350,000.00	Dec. 15, 1976	None	7,175.00	7,175.00
	June 15, 1977	35,000.00	7,175.00	42,175.00
315,000.00	Dec. 15, 1977	None	6,457.50	6,457.50
	June 15, 1978	35,000.00	6,457.50	41,457.50
280,000.00	Dec. 15, 1978	None	5,740.00	5,740.00
	June 15, 1979	35,000.00	5,740.00	40,740.00
245,000.00	Dec. 15, 1979	None	5,022.50	5,022.50
	June 15, 1980	35,000.00	5,022.50	40,022.50
210,000.00	Dec. 15, 1980	None	4,305.00	4,305.00
	June 15, 1981	35,000.00	4,305.00	40,305.00

175,000.00	Dec. 15, 1981	None	3,587.50	3,587.50
	June 15, 1982	35,000.00	3,587.50	38,587.50
140,000.00	Dec. 15, 1982	None	2,870.00	2,870.00
	June 15, 1983	35,000.00	2,870.00	37,870.00
105,000.00	Dec. 15, 1983	None	2,152.50	2,152.50
	June 15, 1984	35,000.00	2,152.50	37,152.50
70,000.00	Dec. 15, 1984	None	1,435.00	1,435.00
	June 15, 1985	35,000.00	1,435.00	36,435.00
35,000.00	Dec. 15, 1985	None	717.50	717.50
	June 15, 1986	35,000.00	717.50	35,717.50

REPORT OF REVENUE ADJUSTMENT FROM STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

Your report of appropriations voted and property taxes to be raised for the 1966-67 school year has been approved on the following basis:

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	$1,358,264.55

Revenues and Credits

Unencumbered Balance	$ 5,084.22
Sweepstakes	30,000.00
School Building Aid	20,719.18
Driver Education	200.00
Intellectually Retarded	500.00
NDEA-Title III, Science, Math & Lang.	800.00
NDEA-Title V, Guidance & Testing	2,250.00
School Lunch & Special Milk Program	3,000.00
PL 89-10 (ESEA)	8,000.00
Tuition	1,000.00
Rent	100.00
Other Revenue from Local Sources	4.00
Bond or Note Issues	700,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	$ 771,657.40
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY 1966 PROPERTY TAXES	586,607.15
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	$1,358,264.55

STATE TAX COMMISSION
Lawton B. Chandler, *Commissioner*

DISTRIBUTION OF SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Bedford	20.9%	$ 2,194.50
Hudson	34.4	3,612.00
Litchfield	4.2	441.00
Merrimack	24.7	2,593.50
Pelham	15.8	1,659.00
State of N. H.		4,500.00
		$ 15,000.00

DISTRIBUTION OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Bedford	20.9%	$ 1,463.00
Hudson	34.4	2,408.00
Litchfield	4.2	294.00
Merrimack	24.7	1,729.00
Pelham	15.8	1,106.00
State of N. H.		2,700.00
		$ 9,700.00

DISTRIBUTION OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR'S SALARY

Bedford	20.9%	$ 1,170.40
Hudson	34.4	1,926.40
Litchfield	4.2	235.20
Merrimack	24.7	1,383.20
Pelham	15.8	884.80
State of N. H.		2,700.00
		$ 8,300.00

REPORT OF THE BEDFORD SCHOOL BOARD

The past year has been a busy but rewarding one for the members of the school board. The highlight of our activity centered around the need for more elementary school rooms which was resolved after several public hearings and two school district meetings when the townspeople approved a bond issue for the construction of additional rooms at both McKelvie and Memorial schools. The two room addition to Memorial school has been completed and is now in use. The addition to McKelvie is currently under construction and will be available for the 1967-1968 school year.

Vacancies in the position of principal of McKelvie and Memorial schools occurred during the year and we were most fortunate in obtaining the service of Robert Little for Memorial and Harry Ryerson for McKelvie. Both men had excellent backgrounds in educational experience and came highly recommended. Their cooperative efforts in the continous program of quality education for our children is sincerely appreciated. We were pleased to retain Peter Dolloff within our supervisory union when he was appointed Assistant Superintendent.

After twenty-seven years of service Gladys Smend, our school nurse, retired and we were very fortunate in obtaining Mrs. Dora Bostwick, registered nurse, who has most capably filled this vacancy.

At the request of several townspeople a public hearing was held to review the school board's transportation policy which is so capably carried out by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Keeler and their drivers. An evaluation of current routes and scheduled pick up points were discussed and a citizen study committee was established to work with representatives of the Department of Safety and the Keelers. Their report will be presented to the School Board when completed.

A welcome addition to our teaching staff was Miss Mowles, a qualified and experienced guidance teacher. We also welcomed as new teachers in Bedford Miss Bobotas, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Morin, Mrs. Stretch, Miss Symonds and Miss Wenzel.

During the year an inquiry was made concerning the possible sale of Peter Woodbury School. The School Board reacted favorably to this inquiry and will ask the townspeople to approve their recommendation by a special article which appears in the warrant.

A fine relationship was continued this year with the superintendent's office and the board is very grateful for the able guidance and professional assistance of Claude Leavitt and Peter Dolloff, Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent respectively of Supervisory Union No. 27.

Our sincere thanks are extended to Ruth Gott our Cafeteria Director, Gordon Ellison, Don Flanders, John Gott, and Paul Manning our Custodians and all school district employees for their cooperative efforts on behalf of better facilities for our students.

Throughout the entire year our efforts were directed to a high standard of education for Bedford students through the continuance of quality teachers, physical plant and program. Dramatic changes are occuring in the field of education presenting new challenges which require new approaches and adjustments. The educational philisophy of the townspeople which directs the actions of the school board has produced a system of which we can be justifiably proud. We feel confident that these challenges will be realistically met so that we may continue to provide Bedford students with the same quality education they now enjoy.

Respectfully submitted,

EARLE TRYDER,

Chairman, Bedford School Board

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

January, 1967

To the School Board and Citizens of Bedford:

The events of the past year testify to the fact that Bedford is a growing community with the desire to place high priority on the education of its young people. The bond issue voted last March and April to build additional classrooms on existing facilities at the Memorial and McKelvie Schools stress our growth. During the past year our school enrollment has increased from 704 to approximately 800 pupils. This growth represents an increase of more than three classrooms per year. This figure appears to be indicative of what we can expect for the next three to five years.

With the completion of the building additions we should hasten to close the Buswell School and consider it for some other purpose. It has served its educational purpose.

During the year we have added a director of elementary guidance to work with pupil personnel services. Miss Cynthia Mowles has provided an outstanding service in this capacity. Out of two new principals, Mr. Robert Little at Memorial and Mr. Harry Ryerson at McKelvie have brought experience and fresh outlooks to Bedford's educational climate. Both men have demonstrated excellent administrative ability and are welcome additions to our instructional staff along with other new people.

Miss Joyce Bobotas, Manchester, N. H., Notre Dame College B.A., 1964, M. Ed. Penn State University 1965, replaced Miss Blanchard, Special Class teacher. Miss Bobotas previously taught at the Windham Center School.

Mrs. Dora Bostwick, RN, Bedford, N. H., Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, 1932 replaced Mrs. Gladys Smend, RN, as School Nurse-teacher in the Bedford Schools.

Mrs. Robin Grant, Bedford, N. H., Gorham State Teachers College, B.S. Ed. 1946, replaced Mrs. Blodgett grade four. Mrs. Grant has thirteen years of teaching experience in Maine and New Jersey.

Mr. Robert Little, formerly of Randolph, Mass. replaced Mr. Peter Dolloff as principal of the Memorial School. A graduate of Boston College 1957, B.S.S.S. and State College Boston 1960, M. Ed., graduate work at Boston University, Mr. Little has six years of previous experience.

Miss Elizabeth Morin, Peterboro, N. H., Keene State College, B. Ed., 1965 replaced Catherine Fuhrel grade five. Miss Morin previously taught for one year in Amherst, N. H.

Miss Cynthia Mowles, Candia, N. H., assumed the duties of Guidance Director. This is a new position this year, grades 1-8. Miss Mowles has six years of teaching experience, she is a graduate of U.N.H. 1960, M. Ed. Boston University 1962, additional credits U.N.H. and B.U.

Mrs. Susanne Stretch, Manchester, N. H., replaced Mrs. Blodgett grade one. Mrs. Stretch a 1966 graduate of New England College, B. Ed., received her practice teaching in the Concord schools.

Miss Ann Stomgren, Manchester, N. H., New England College, B. A. Elementary Education, 1966 is teaching grade two.

Miss Anna Symonds, Manchester, N. H. New Haven State Teachers College, B.S. Elementary Education 1945 is teaching an additional grade one. Miss Symonds has fifteen years of previous experience in Connecticut and New Hampshire.

Mr. Harry Ryerson, Merrimack, Mass., replaced Mr. Shaw as principal of the McKelvie School, grades 5-8. A graduate of Defiance College, B. S. Ed., 1952, he obtained his M. Ed. 1961, State College at Boston. Mr. Ryerson has thirteen years of previous experience in the education field.

Miss Michelene Wenzel, Manchester, N. H., Keene State College, B. Ed., 1966 assumed the position of additional grade three teacher.

At this time, on behalf of their fellow teachers, I recognize the years of service rendered the children of Bedford by Mrs. Ursula Jensen and Miss Dorothy McLain. These two ladies will retire in June, 1967. Between them they represent 74 years of teaching service, fifty-three of which have been in Bedford. We extend health and happiness to them in retirement.

In conclusion I extend my appreciation to the school board, members of the instructional staff and all who work in the employ of the district for their loyalty and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CLAUDE H. LEAVITT,
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. Claude H. Leavitt
Superintendent of Schools
Bedford, New Hampshire
Dear Mr. Leavitt:

The following paragraphs constitute my report as Assistant Superintendent in the School District of Bedford, New Hampshire.

Although new to the afore-mentioned position I have had the pleasure and privilege to be associated with the Bedford Schools, in the capacity of principal, for the past several years. It was only after careful and deliberate consideration that I left the direct employ of the Bedford School District to become associated with the Office of Superintendent. I have found Bedford to be a community dedicated to the principles of good education and one in which creativity and innovation are fostered. The willingness and desire to encourage quality within the school system is certainly a tribute to the citizens of this community.

During the current year the pupil-teacher ratio in grades 1-6 has been reduced to approximately a 25-1 ratio. This reduction in class size, coupled with the high calibre of personnel staffing the various classrooms, has resulted in a degree of instruction comparable to any within the confines of our state.

Under the direction of Mr. Little our non-graded Primary Unit has continued to flourish. Several innovations have been implemented in the program as we continually attempt to refine this approach to organizational structure. The addition of Miss Mowles to the staff both as a Guidance Counsellor and an authority in the identification of reading deficiencies has given added depth to the total program.

Children in the eleven to fourteen year age bracket are undergoing basic physiological and psychological changes, the educational impact of which is only beginning to be appreciated. In an attempt to provide the most suitable setting for this age group Bedford has adopted the middle school concept. Within the confines of this form of school organization teachers are permitted to specialize in one or two areas. In an age when the emphasis on school organization is shifting from content to concept, we must provide our teachers with

a framework within which they can become specialists rather than generalists. We must also give them the opportunity to translate these specialties into the type of practical knowledge, that children of this age need, in order to succeed both as students and citizens. We feel we can best achieve these goals within this type of organization.

With the addition of the new wing to the McKelvie School we will have the physical facilities enabling us to maintain a 25-1 pupil teacher ratio. It is of paramount importance that we add the necessary staff to keep this balance. The goal of our various forms of organization is to individualize instruction, however, we must begin with a good sound ratio of pupils to teacher.

In order to expand our comprehensive program we are suggesting the addition of French to the curriculum of the Middle School. A program of this type would strive to develop communication within the language taught and an understanding of the culture of the countries which use this language. It would also be directed toward preparing the children for further study at the secondary level. The Manchester schools are planning to implement this program at the Junior High level during the coming year.

Through Title I of Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 we have added a program of remedial and developmental reading in the McKelvie School. With funds available through the act we were able to purchase approximately $5,000.00 in reading equipment. By scheduling one of our teachers to be free for part of the school day we were able to initiate this program during the current year. It is our hope to add a full time person in this area to fully implement and expand the program to cover all grades in both schools.

In closing may I thank the School Board and yourself for your direction and guidance, Mr. Little, Mr. Ryerson and the staff for their cooperation, and finally may I congratulate the citizens of Bedford for their dedication to excellence in the educational program.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER G. DOLLOFF,
Assistant Superintendent

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL

McKELVIE SCHOOL

The year 1966 has been a fruitful one at the McKelvie School. Additions to the staff and curriculum have provided the pupils with a sound educational program.

The Middle School concept has made it possible to utilize, to a greater extent, the Science Labs, Library, and Audio-visual materials. It has allowed the administration to program students according to their abilities and to provide for their individual differences. The curriculum has proved to be more effective by providing a greater number of offerings and by placing teachers in their specialized areas.

As the town of Bedford grows, McKelvie and its educational program will grow. New areas of instruction are already being planned. Consideration is being given to foreign languages for all grades, Linguistics for grades 5-8, Remedial Reading or Developmental Reading for all pupils in grades 5-8 and other advancements in the areas of Math, Science and Social Studies.

The Library has been expanded by the addition of a Research Center where students may work with equipment and use a variety of materials to enhance the learning proceess. Periodicals, books, filmstrips, film loops, records and other research materials are continually being added to this vital part of our program.

Guidance personnel and facilities have been utilized this year to help students plan and discuss their programs, work out their problems, and make the adjustments necessary to become successful citizens of their school and community.

Growing up in today's complex society has placed more responsibility on the schools, to provide the proper training for all students. Knowledge in many areas is under constant revision and must be analyzed, evaluated, and incorporated into our program. This is handled by our own teaching staff who work constantly in these areas searching for new ideas, new methods and improvements that will strengthen their areas of instruction.

The total program at McKelvie has been geared for all levels and for individuals rather than groups. Flexibility in each area is the guide word where students, at any time, may move vertically or horizontally to meet their individual needs. The slow learner must receive the time and attention necessary for his advancement, while the fast learner must receive the depth and acceleration necessary to carry him to greater heights.

Our program is not the complete answer to all educational needs, but it has taken an important step in this direction. The future will present many problems, alterations, and evaluations concerning the education of Bedford youngsters. Areas where investigations are being carried on are:

1. Ungrading the upper elementary grades.
2. Individualized instruction at all levels.
3. A testing program on an individual and group basis.
4. Restrictions placed on the program because of time.
5. Areas of homogeneous and heterogeneous grouping.
6. Continuous progress programs.
7. Evaluation and reporting to parents.
8. Team Teaching.
9. Small and large group instruction.
10. Fine Arts areas.
11. Individualized reading programs.
12. Cross grading.

Education must never become stagnant. It must grow with the times, providing a program that will meet the needs of every individual within the school. The schools must continually evaluate and re-evaluate their positions, programs and their philosophy, if they are to cope with the dynamic society of today. The McKelvie School is dedicated to this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. RYERSON,
Principal

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January 18, 1967

To the citizens of Bedford:

This fall a guidance program was initiated in the schools of Bedford. In this, my first annual report, I would like to convey to you the scope of our program.

The role of guidance in an elementary school is to identify each child's potential — intellectually and personally. With this information, the school then strives to help the child reach his potential. In helping the child to attain maximum development we must be alert to any "problems" that child might have. It is the counselor's responsibility to diagnose such problems and to provide for their correction. By diagnosing and correcting these problems during the child's early years in school, hopefully we are preventing them from "snowballing" into more serious problems during succeeding years.

Children experiencing difficulty in school may be referred to the guidance counselor by the principal, a teacher, the parents, or the child may refer himself. After a referral is made, the general procedure is to talk further with the child's teacher(s), and observe the child in the school situation. An initial interview with the child is then scheduled, if testing seems advisable this is also scheduled. At this point it is imperative that we talk with the child's parents. This gives us an opportunity to clarify the child's school situation, and gives the parent an opportunity to share with us their wealth of information concerning the child. Without the cooperation of the parents it is very difficult for us to establish a good working understanding of any child. After involving the administration, teacher(s), parents, and child; the counselor must make an evaluation of the situation, and then make recommendations. These recommendations may take many forms such as an adjustment of a particular situation in the classroom, a change of class level, further counseling, tutoring, or referral to an outside agency. This year we have worked with such outside agencies as the Community Guidance Clinic in Manchester, the Manchester Rehabilitation Center, Family Service, Crotched Mountain in Greenfield, N. H., Department of Health and Welfare, Hillsborough County Community Action Program, and more. We have also been very fortunate in having Dr. Margaret Kennard, a child psychiatrist, work with a number of our children.

In facilitating a non-graded system it is of paramount importance that we place our children on the appropriate level. Observations and evaluation by the classroom teachers are the best sources of information. Testing is also a valuable tool. Stanford Achievement Tests are administered to all our children in the spring. Group I.Q. tests are administered in grades one, three, five, and seven. Where necessary, individual I.Q. tests are administered — either a WISC (Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children) or a Stanford-Binet. It is the counselor's responsibility to maintain articulation between the class levels so that a child may be moved, either "up or down", whenever necessary.

Our first year students are grouped according to teachers' evaluations and the child's performance on the Metropolitan Readiness Test. Next year we hope to refine this placement further by using Gesell Developmental Tests in conjunction with the Metropolitan Readiness Test.

I feel that "guidance" has been successfully launched in Bedford, the only drawback being the ratio of one counselor to eight hundred students. This ratio makes it impossible to become acquainted with every child in the system.

In conclusion, I would like to express my thanks to Mr. Leavitt and Mr. Dolloff; to the principals, Mr. Little and Mr. Ryerson; to the school nurse, Mrs. Bostwick; and to all the faculty for their cooperation and understanding. The success of any program depends on the degree to which the "educational team" works together.

I am looking forward to meeting more of the parents in Bedford during the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

CYNTHIA MOWLES,

Guidance Counselor

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

BEDFORD MEMORIAL AND STEVENS-BUSWELL SCHOOLS

January 25, 1967

Mr. Claude H. Leavitt
Superintendent of Schools
Bedford, New Hampshire

Dear Mr. Leavitt:

These past few months have afforded me the opportunity to serve the town of Bedford as principal of the Memorial and Stevens-Buswell Schools.

It is a pleasure to present my first annual report. The children, parents, faculty, nurse, school committee, custodians, cafeteria personnel and the central office have made it possible for many exciting and rewarding experiences to happen in our lower elementary schools.

We are a fairly large elementary family with a total of seventeen classrooms. The fact that we have five first year classrooms attests to the rapid growth of our town.

As the town grows and prospers, we in the business of education realize that it is encumbent upon us to show a comparable growth. Through our method of organization, namely, the ungraded school which involves a program of continuous progress, we feel we are meeting that need.

Philosophically, I think there would be little argument among educators that children should learn what they are capable of learning whenever they are ready for that learning experience. Thus, in operating our schools, we are constantly looking for methods of organization that will allow us the greatest opportunity to provide our children with the types of learning experiences that they are capable of handling when they are ready.

Recently, three principals from other communities in New Hampshire have visited with us because they were interested in our

methods of organization. Their opening comments were to the effect that they were convinced about the philosophy behind our program but they were wondering if it really works. Happily, I was able to respond in the affirmative. Of course, space limitations demand that I do not give a two hour explanation of our program as was and is done with visiting educators and laymen. Also, this being the third year of our program, would indicate the nature of the program has been discussed at length many times in the past, and for most people further details would be repetitive.

However, there is one fairly significant change in organization at the Memorial School involving our first year students. One of my first major tasks was to organize our first year pupils in homogeneous (similar ability) classrooms. Fortunately, Mr. Dolloff, my predecessor, and Mrs. Marilyn Guillemette, a teacher at the Memorial School, with the co-operation of the local kindergartens, had done a great deal of testing in the spring and had gathered much information about our incoming first year students. Drawing upon this information, I proceeded to make classroom assignments with full realization that these groupings would change, perhaps drastically, after the first few weeks of school.

Immediately upon the start of school, a meeting was held with Miss Cynthia Mowles, Guidance Director, and the staff of the first year students. At that time, a program of testing and teacher observation was initiated with a hope of further refining our original groups. After a two week period, we again met and made changes in room placement as indicated by our joint discussions. Subsequently, as with all levels, we met approximately every three weeks for continued evaluation and refinement.

The teachers of our first year students are quite enthusiastic about their learning situations because they feel that they have a much narower range of abilities in their rooms and they are able to do more things and in greater depth.

Perhaps our greatest single new asset has been the acquisition of our Guidance Director, Miss Cynthia Mowles. Miss Mowles has served our children quite capably through her program of testing and counseling. Miss Mowles' report appears elsewhere so I shall not elaborate upon her program any further.

In the 1965 Town Report, Mr. Dolloff commented that, in the second year of participation in the Greater Cleveland Mathematics Program, he felt that the teachers and students had adapted themselves well to the program and that it was beginning to bear fruit.

A comment from a veteran teacher who has grown with the program indicates that not only is the program bearing fruit but that the crop has ripened. In essence, she felt that when the program was first instituted she was a bit insecure and the children were experiencing growing pains that made her apprehensive. However, this year's group of students, who have had two years of work in the program, have made the teaching of math a very rewarding experience.

With the addition of the two rooms, which were opened during National Education Week, we have the facilities in terms of space to carry on our educational program.

I would certainly be remiss if I did not comment about the excellent work done by Mrs. Dora Bostwick, our School Nurse. In the tradition of her profession, Mrs. Bostwick has frequently gone above and beyond the call of duty.

In conclusion, I would like to thank everyone who has either directly or indirectly contributed to our combined effort, but in particular I would like to thank Mr. Dolloff, the Assistant Superintendent of Schools, and yourself for your co-operation and guidance.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT P. LITTLE

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PERFECT ATTENDANCE

for

BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Michael Arcidy
Elaine Beaudoin
Denise Bertrand
Randy Burbank
Valerie Burbank
Dale Burns
William Champagne
Gary Chartrand
Meredith Cote
Maurice Delisle
Michelle Dionne
Barbara Dobles
Debra Donahue
James Dubois
Kevin Duguay
Frederick Elliott
Jody Faucher
Paul Fons
Grace Freije
Debra Hunter
Thomas Irving
Frederick Kalil
Joan Lacasse
Daniel Lamper
Thomas Manning
David Mason
John Mourtgas
Barbara Moy
Judy Moy
William Moy
Suzanne Pirozzi
Cathy Poehlman
Cherryl Poehlman
Brian Robinson
Christine Rossiter
Daniel Rozamus
Robert Russell
Glenn Stewart
John Takesuye
Charles Taylor
Louise Turcotte
Thomas Varney
Christine Volkman
Stephen Wainwright
Patricia Wiggins
Richard Zylak

ENROLLMENT

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Spec.	Total
1964	100	85	87	69	73	88	71	78	13	664
1965	119	105	98	86	67	85	80	70	8	718

SCHOOL CENSUS REPORT
1966 - 1967

Ages as of Sept. 1, 1964	Number of Children			Number of Children Attending Public Schools		Number of Children Attending Parochial Schools	Number of Children Attending Other Private Schools			
	Total	Boys	Girls	Within District	Outside District	Outside District	Outside District	Excused	Reached 14 or 16, Completed Elem. but not High School	Completed High School Reached Age 16 Though Not Completed Elem. School
Less than 1 year	72	37	35							
1	76	41	35							
2	85	34	51							
3	101	61	40							
4	105	50	55							
5	113	55	58		20	3				
Total Birth-5	552	278	274							
6	132	72	60	114		17		1		
7	122	66	56	107		15				
8	127	66	61	110		16	1			
9	117	64	53	100		16	1			
10	116	61	55	95		18	2	1		
11	100	52	48	83		17				
12	91	41	53	78		12	4			
13	107	49	58	71	10	21	4	1		
14	68	40	28	10	41	11	6			
15	107	58	49	2	77	17	10	1		
16	78	44	34		52	15	6	2	3	
17	81	43	38		45	13	1	1	8	13
Through 18	78	40	38		5	1	1	1	10	60
Total 6-18	1324	696	631	770	230	189	36	8	21	73
Total Birth-18	1876	974	905	770	250	192	36	8	21	73

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

January 11, 1966

To the Superintendent of Schools, the School Board, and the Citizens of Bedford, New Hampshire:

The following is my last report as School Nurse for the year 1965-66.

Number of children examined by Dr. Manning	705
Absent	10
Number of children examined at preschool clinic April 20, 1966 by Dr. Manning and Dr. Kennard	98
Number of children with operative tonsils	4
Number of children with enlarged tonsils	300
Number of children with defective teeth	108
Number of children with wax plugs in ears	14
Number of children examined by School Nurse	786
Number of children weighed and measured	769
Number of children given eye test	720
Number of children with defective vision	86
Number of children who had eyes checked by doctor	101
Number of children fitted to glasses for first time	39
Number of children who had lenses changed	31
Number of children given audiometer test for hearing	645
Number of children with hearing defects	14
Number of children who had ears checked by doctor	13
Number of children with speech defects	30
Number of children getting corrective speech instruction	30
Number of children seen by their dentist	472
Number of children who had Chicken Pox	20
Number of children who had Scarlet Fever	17
Number of children who had Mumps	20
Number of children who had German Measels	1
Number of children who had Pink eye	1
Number of children who had Strep Throat	12
Number of children who had Ear Infections	6
Number of children who had Pneumonia	5

Number of children who had Bronchitis	4
Number of children who had Brain Concussion	2
Number of children who had Mononucleosis	2
Number of children who are Epilepttic	3
Number of children who have Asthma	5
Number of children with Gillian Brag	1
Number of children with Heart Murmur	2
Number of children with Cerebral Palsy	3
Number of children with fractured ribs	2
Number of children with fractured leg	3
Number of children with fractured wrist	1
Number of children with fractured elbow	2
Number of children with fractured skull	2
Number of children with fractured toe	2
Number of children with fractured arm	3
Number of children who had Tonsil Operation	12
Number of children who had operation on toe	2
Number of children who had operation on eyes	1
Number of children who had Appendectomy	2
Number of Home Calls made	805

A Pre-school Clinic and Registration was held at the Town Hall April 20, 1966. At this time 98 children registered for the first grade. Dr. Manning and Dr. Kennard gave them all a physical examination.

I want to thank all who helped make this clinic possible.

After 27 years here in school it is hard to believe that this is the last time I will be writing the yearly school report for Bedford. It gives me a little pang of sadness as I begin to realize I won't be with you any more. Best of luck to my friend, Mrs. Bostwick, who took my place.

I have enjoyed working in Bedford very much. Everyone has been kind and helpful, and your friendship has meant a great deal to me. In closing I wish to thank everyone for their thoughtfulness in dedicating the nurse's room in McKelvie School to me. It is an honor I will always cherish.

Respectfully submitted,

GLADYS SMEND,
School Nurse

BEDFORD SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

July 1, 1965 — June 30, 1966

Beginning Balance July 1, 1965		$ 2,405.10
RECEIPTS		
Lunch Sales—Children	$ 20,890.55	
Lunch Sales—Adults	943.50	
Reimbursement	4,675.80	
District Appropriation	500.00	
Miscellaneous Cash—Milk	1,061.51	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$ 28,071.36
TOTAL AVAILABLE		$ 30,476.46
EXPENDITURES		
Food	$ 16,726.70	
Labor	7,792.98	
Equipment	1,008.85	
Other (Inc. FICA and Withholding)	2,766.86	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		$ 28,295.39
BALANCE June 30, 1966		$ 2,181.07
OTHER PROGRAM RESOURCES		
USDA Commodities Rec'd (Wholesale Value)		$ 3,355.01

BALANCE SHEET

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1966

ASSETS		
Cash in Bank	$ 2,181.07	
Accounts Receivable:		
Lunch Sales Due	32.95	
Reimbursement Due Program (To be prorated)	923.56	
Food Inventory — June 30	1,182.58	
TOTAL ASSETS		$ 4,320.16
LIABILITIES		
FICA Tax Payable	$ 216.67	
Withholding Tax Payable	141.50	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$ 358.17
WORKING CAPITAL		3,961.99
TOTAL LIABILITIES & WORKING CAPITAL		$ 4,320.16

Many thanks to the cooks and helpers for a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH GOTT,
Supervisor

BEDFORD ENROLLMENT PROJECTION

Grade	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
1	116	112	125
2	102	117	125
3	99	117	117
4	85	107	119
5	68	93	105
6	83	77	94
7	80	84	80
8	70	81	90
	703	788	846

In the past 10 years the Bedford elementary school population has doubled. Further, actual enrollment in September has come very close to the figure projected the previous year.

September 1967 will see the opening of 19 additional classrooms at the McKelvie School. With the sale of the Peter Woodbury School and the conversion of the Stevens-Buswell School to Town offices every classroom will be filled by September 1970.

Since it takes at least two years to plan and build additional school facilities, planning must start almost immediately. The Bedford School Board will, therefore, undertake a detailed study of classroom needs and present a long-range plan at the next Annual School District Meeting.

Births Registered in the Town of Bedford, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1966

Date of Birth		Where Born	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1966					
Jan.	7	Manchester, N. H.	Lynn Susan	Frederick T. Wolf	Gail S. Desrosiers
	22	Goffstown, N. H.	Keith Allen	George H. Donovan	Simone A. Guertin
	23	Manchester, N. H.	Randy Ray	Norman J. Richard	Mary E. Baker
	24	Manchester, N. H.	Tawnya	Walter S. Zarnowski	L. Margaret Bales
	31	Manchester, N. H.	Alan Marc	Conrad L. Longval	Theresa A. Auger
Feb.	2	Manchester, N. H.	Jonnie Frances	John F. Maston	Jean Ann Tomedolsky
	5	Manchester, N. H.	James Alfred	Frank Robert Vose	Beatrice Edna Loxton
	7	Manchester, N. H.	Timothy Daniel	Victor J. Villeneuve, Jr.	Marian Elizabeth Weiler
	9	Manchester, N. H.	Anthony-James	Nicholas James Polley	Caroline Frances Bourgeois
	11	Manchester, N. H.	Thomas Robert	Edward Zylak	Rita Alice Raymond
	15	Manchester, N. H.	Laurie Anne	Eugene Groden, Jr.	Marilyn Day Straghan
	21	Manchester, N. H.	Leo Richard	Leo Aime Ducharme	Rachel Helen Desrochers
Mar.	5	Manchester, N. H.	Jennifer Rae	Bruce Rae Parkhurst	Pauline Jeannette Crawford
	21	Manchester, N. H.	Charloote Jean	Clifford Hiram Clark	Joan May Grant
	22	Manchester, N. H.	Christian Walter	Conrad Walter Hernsdorf	Gerlind Wille
	23	Manchester, N. H.	Carolyn Ann	Richard Louis Sylvester	Helene Marie Radwan
	25	Manchester, N. H.	John Robert	Alfred Rosario Beaudin	Helen Marie Chenelle
	25	Manchester, N. H.	Joseph Charles	Alfred Rosario Beaudin	Helen Marie Chenelle
Apr.	10	Manchester, N. H.	Jody Lynn	Albert Horace Fredette	Phyllis Marie Caron
	12	Manchester, N. H.	Michele Marie	Paul Camille LeBlanc	Martha Louise Geary
	14	Manchester, N. H.	Sarah	William Denford Clark	Fernande Gracia Boisvert
	16	Manchester, N. H.	Maureen Ellen	Richard Joseph Fosher, Sr.	Maureen Peterson
	16	Manchester, N. H.	David Michael	William Joseph Harrington	Enid Claire Lambert
	18	Manchester, N. H.	Elizabeth Anne	Charles Avery Colpitts	Irene Elizabeth Pare
	23	Manchester, N. H.	Leslie Anne	Louis Ernest Mondor	Pauline Yvette Label
	29	Manchester, N. H.	Thomas Guy	Marcel Lionel Aubin	Claire Therese Boucher
	30	Manchester, N. H.	Gregory Patrick	Joseph Francis O'Loughlin	Theresa Marie Dunn
May	7	Manchester, N. H.	Brian Willie	Ernest Maurice Tremblay	Elaine Marie Remillard
	9	Manchester, N. H.	Jennifer Ann	Charles Peter Lovell	Joyce Griffin
	10	Manchester, N. H.	Dennis Francis	Richard Philip Morrissette	Rita Theresa Vaillancourt
	12	Manchester, N. H.	Carol Ann	John Arthur Connare	Mary Ann Mills
	17	Manchester, N. H.	Wendy Ann	John Whitfield Larrabee, Jr.	Nancy Ann Clay

	20	Manchester, N. H.	Michael William	Richard Arnold Chauvette	Lorraine C. Shiney
	20	Manchester, N. H.	Daniel Maurice	Richard Arnold Chauvette	Lorraine C. Shiney
	23	Manchester, N. H.	Jonathan Dana	Warren Curtis Foster	Catherine Anne Gehrlein
June	3	Manchester, N. H.	Annelise	Arnold Sidney Goldstein	Alice Susanne Hansen
	10	Manchester, N. H.	Andrea	Erhardt Wilhelm Sauberlich	Brigitte Burckhard
	12	Manchester, N. H.	Susan Jean	Louis Philippe Cote	Jean Marie Weygand
	12	Manchester, N. H.	Steven Robert	Robert J. A. Therrien	Denise Lorraine Beaulac
	14	Manchester, N. H.	Scott Robert	Robert Girard Chabot	Linda Jane Biron
	27	Manchester, N. H.	Ture Chris	Marvin Ture Nordstrom	Amy Gunborg Ferm
	30	Manchester, N. H.	Eric Robert	Robert Lionel Graveline	Shirley Juliette Lanteigne
July	1	Manchester, N. H.	Raymond Robert	Roger Laurent Huard	Margaret Louise Gowan
	3	Manchester, N. H.	Leslie Sharon	George Edward Roy	Lorraine Lillian Morrissette
	13	Manchester, N. H.	Beth Ann	Alexander Joseph Kalinski	Margaret Ann Ahearn
	14	Manchester, N. H.	Scott William	Ralph William Gilmour	Monika Ula Sandner
	15	Manchester, N H.	Kevin Edward	Edward Clinton Verow	Marion Elizabeth Johnson
	20	Manchester, N. H.	Karl John	David John Makin	Brenda Emily Foote
Aug.	15	Manchester, N. H.	Marlene Rita	Richard Charles Frank, Sr.	Susan Carol Lenois
	20	Manchester, N. H.	Gregory David	George Henry Heilshorn	Ann Frances Burke
Sept.	12	Manchester, N. H.	Kelly Lyn	Dale Wiggin Johnson	Kathleen Mary Ashburner
	17	Nashua, N. H.	Lisa Ann	Wilfred Clement Paquette, Jr.	Elaine Hazel Beaudette
	25	Manchester, N. H.	Dwight David	Alvin James Barrett	Lois Ann Forrar
	28	Manchester, N. H.	John William	John Anton Klop	Frances Cameron Lavoie
Oct.	1	Manchester, N. H.	Daniel Albert	Raymond David Tremblay	Helene Rose Ellison
	11	Manchester, N. H.	James Patrick	Fernand Joseph Cote	Rita Mary Villeneuve
	11	Manchester, N. H.	Steven Raymond	Ernest Fernand Hebert	Jeannettee Cecile Roux
	21	Manchester, N. H.	Jill Roberta	Lee Dorson	Marilyn Ruth Bernstein
Nov.	4	Manchester, N. H.	Deborah Ann	Richard Henry Clark	Annette Alice Petit
	10	Manchester, N. H.	Joshua Eliot Thomas	David Foster	Mary Elizabeth Priest
	19	Manchester, N. H.	Peter Joel	Paul Francis Ledoux	Patricia Ann Lapine
	26	Manchester, N. H.	Robin Andrea	William Joseph Bonner	Dorothy Betty VanMoortel
Dec.	1	Manchester, N. H.	Rose Marie	Francois-Nil Lucien Gauthier	Priscilla Alberta Lambert
	4	Manchester, N. H.	Mary Dorothy	Nicholas Bonardi	Agnes Anne McNally
	5	Manchester, N. H.	John Jullius	John Jullius Zekany, Sr.	Deborah Ann Healey
	6	Manchester, N. H.	Jonathan Wayne	Robert Wayne Carpenter	Elaine Wingate Edwards
	6	Manchester, N. H.	Dean Edward	David Willis Weeks	Rebecca Sanborn
	14	Manchester, N. H.	Elsie Rose	Rene Paul Paquin	Louise Rose Biron
	22	Manchester, N. H.	Debra Ann	Roger Armand Mailhiot	Jeannine Carmel Duval
	26	Manchester, N. H.	Lisa Anne	George William Coutris	Carole Anne Hannaford
	31	Manchester, N. H.	Bruce David	Robert Anthony Vitagliano	Carol Elizabeth George

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bedford, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1966

Date of Marriage		Where Married	Name of Groom and Bride	By Whom Married
1966				
Jan.	8	Manchester, N. H.	Alan Packer and Andrea A. Lemire	John J. Soley, Catholic Priest
	8	Goffstown, N. H.	Harvey R. Surette and Nancy C. Ballentine	Ralph E. Wakefield, Sr., Justice of Peace
	22	Manchester, N. H.	Robert A. Mailhiot, Jr. and Janice Oczykowski	Lawrence Lennon, Catholic Priest
	29	Manchester, N. H.	David Foster and Mary E. Priest	John Soley, Catholic Priest
Feb.	19	Bedford, N. H.	Franklyn C. Bertrand, Jr. and Linda L. Bohle	James Scotland, Jr., Presbyterian Minister
Mar.	26	Manchester, N. H.	Robert L. Bergeron and Marilyn M. Turner	Charles B. McLaughlin, Jus. of the Peace
	29	Bedford, N. H.	Robert A. Foster and Elaine M. Ragonesi	Irene M. Hardy, Justice of the Peace
Apr.	16	Bedford, N. H.	Jon P. Dulude and Mary Jane Denningham	Jos. M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	16	Bedford, N. H.	Gerald J. Dyer and Sandra M. Bisson	Jos. M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	16	Bedford, N. H	Paul J. Mitchell and Mary Lou Galvin	James Scotland, Jr., Presbyterian Minister
	18	Manchester, N. H.	Thomas P. Brocato and Diane S. Richmond	Michael J. Saad, Justice of the Peace
	22	Bedford, N. H.	William H. Wood, III and Eleanor F. Mann	Irene M. Hardy, Justice of the Peace
	23	Manchester, N. H.	Thomas J. Manning and Barbara A. Ramig	Alfred J. Gagliano, Catholic Priest
	23	Bedford, N. H.	Robert F. Maguire and Marilyn M. Smiley	Jos. M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	23	Manchester, N. H.	Richard A. Tuttle and Diane C. Chouinard	Gabriel R. Houle, Catholic Priest
May	7	Bedford, N. H.	Simon K. LeFrancios and Patricia L. Smith	James R. McGrael, Catholic Priest
	14	Bedford, N. H.	Harold W. Anthony and Jane A. Bohle	James Scotland, Jr., Presbyterian Minister
	21	Manchester, N. H.	Michael R. Williams and Nancy C. Riley	Gerard J. Donnelly, OSB, Catholic Priest
	28	Manchester, N. H.	Paul J. Desrochers and Brenda M. Smith	William J. Shanahah, Catholic Priest
	28	Bedford, N. H.	Robert A. Padden and Anne M. Gallant	Joseph Donahue, Catholic Priest
June	4	Merrimack, N. H.	Arthur A. Morin and Pamela J. Arnold	Denis Downey, Catholic Priest
	11	Bedford, N. H.	Eugene M. Van Loan, III and Judith Ammon	James Scotland, Presbyterian Minister
	18	New Boston, N. H.	Almus E. Chancey and Georgia A. Locke	Donald L. Spencer, Clergyman
	20	Manchester, N. H.	Robert H. Messier and Linda S. Kaczmarek	Nicholas J. Costakis, Justice of the Peace
July	2	Bedford, N. H.	Robert C. Muir and Catherine E. Fuhrel	Joseph M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	2	Bedford, N. H.	Paul R. Richard and Constance M. Johonnett	Walter Mullally, OSB, Catholic Priest
	9	Manchester, N. H.	William D. Lefebvre and Elaine G. Demers	Gabriel R. Houle, Catholic Priest
	23	Bedford, N. H.	Richard E. Miller and Mary A. Garcia	Walter Mullally, OSB, Catholic Priest
Aug.	6	Manchester, N. H.	Robert P. Wiegandt and Sandra M. Wenzel	William A. Gannon, Episcopal Clergyman
	6	Allenstown, N. H.	George A. Levasseur, Jr. and Marie L. Sigouin	Gerald F. Chalifour, Catholic Priest
	20	Bedford, N. H.	David H. Barlow and Beverly A. Colby	John F. X. Harney, Catholic Priest
	20	Bedford, N. H.	Kenneth E. Jenkins and Amelia E. Chesnakas	G. Edward Bingham, Presbyterian Minister

	20	Bedford, N. H.	Michael S. Boyd and Shirley A. Riley	Edward E. Bracq, Catholic Priest
	27	Manchester, N. H.	Robert G. Ballard and Patricia A. Valley	Gerard Beaudet, Catholic Priest
	27	Bedford, N. H.	Robert H. Richardson and Patricia A. Paiement	Edward E. Bracq, Catholic Priest
	27	Bedford, N. H	Craig F. Wells and Judith C. Anderson	Walter B. Mullally, Catholic Priest
	29	Bedford, N. H.	Francis X. Demers and Lucille V. Lefebvre	Dort S. Bigg, Justice of the Peace
Sept.	3	Manchester, N. H.	Francois J. Douville and Irene G. Beliveau	Adelard J. Halde, Catholic Priest
	3	Manchester, N. H.	William M. Kazakis and Judith L. McHugh	Paul McHugh, Catholic Priest
	8	Manchester, N. H.	Gerald C. Proulx and Anita S. Bolduc	Gabriel R. Houle, Catholic Priest
	10	Bedford, N. H.	Wayne L. Burbank and Pamela J. Sargent	Edward G. Nelson, Clergyman
	21	Bedford, N. H.	David W. Hamlen and Gloria J. LeFrancois	Joseph M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	24	Manchester, N. H.	Edward N. Ellison and Doris A. LeBlanc	James Watson, Catholic Priest
Oct.	1	Bedford, N. H.	Richard W. Springer and Robin M. Steinbach	Walter Mullally Catholic Priest
	22	Bedford, N. H.	Lawrence O. Lambert and Vivian B. Chauvette	Walter Mullally Catholic Priest
	29	Goffstown, N. H.	Carl W. Dodge and Arline M. Johonnett	Rodman Cart, Congregational Minister
Nov.	5	Bedford, N. H.	Stephen T. McDonald and Linda L. Theodore	Joseph M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	11	Manchester, N. H.	Henry E. Cote and Virginia E. Hooper	Norman Dubie, Jr., Ordained Minister
	13	Manchester, N. H.	Russell B. Fearon and Roberta H. Foote	Robert C. Klemm, Lutheran Clergyman
	19	Bedford, N. H.	Steven K. Bernier and Elaine D. Stepanon	Joseph M. Donahue, Catholic Priest
	19	Manchester, N. H.	Gordon R. Pow and Patricia A. Callahan	James Ridge, OSB, Catholic Priest
	21	Manchester, N. H.	Lawrence E. Stone, Jr. and Joan M. Wright	Michael J. Saad, Justice of the Peace
	25	Manchester, N. H.	William A. Saxon and Jacqueline M. Goodwell	Edward Dougherty, Clergyman
	26	Bedford, N. H.	Paul C. Nelson, Jr. and Judith E. Hartnett	James Scotland, Jr., Presbyterian Minister
Dec.	5	Manchester, N. H.	Gerald P. Brulotte and Judith M. Gray	Maurice Lampron, Catholic Priest
	9	Manchester, N. H.	Michael J. Donovan and Albina L. Dionne	John F. Wilcox, Justice of the Peace
	26	Bedford, N. H.	Leo P. Denoncourt and Monique O. Frebet	Walter Mullally, Catholic Priest
	30	Bedford, N. H.	Hunter H. Durning and Eleanor Howe	James Emmett Wilkerson, Methodist Minister
	30	Manchester, N. H.	Joel F. Trefry and Priscilla A. Simpson	William R. Keeffe, Clergyman
	31	Manchester, N. H.	Charles N. Langevin and Maureen E. Mulroy	Gerald J. Donnelly, OSB, Catholic Priest
	31	Manchester, N. H.	James F. Whitney and Virginia M. Gowing	A. Edward Dougherty, Clergyman

Deaths Registered in the Town of Bedford, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1966

Date of Death		Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Burial or Cremation
1966					
Jan.	23	Goffstown, N. H.	Katherine Preysnar	79 Years	Goffstown, N. H.
	24	Bedford, N. H.	Stamelis Pafelis	78 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	26	Bedford, N. H.	Russell P. Bates	73 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	26	Bedford, N. H.	Nellie A. Hodgman	89 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	27	Bedford, N. H.	George A. LaPointe	57 Years	Manchester, N. H.
Feb.	2	Bedford, N. H.	Nora A. Sullivan	101 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	22	Goffstown, N. H.	Ada Whitney Hertel	76 Years	Wolfeboro, N. H.
Mar.	7	Goffstown, N. H.	Harriet Lillian Dunlap	87 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	19	Bedford, N. H.	Charles W. Richards	88 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	28	Bedford, N. H.	Constantina N. Nassikas	70 Years	Manchester, N. H.
Apr.	2	Bedford, N. H	Irwin Spear	83 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	4	Bedford, N. H	Gertrude Montgomery	77 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	5	Manchester, N. H.	James Philibert	15 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	7	Manchester, N. H.	George William Miller	74 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	16	Bedford, N. H.	Gillis French	64 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	16	Bedford, N. H.	Regina F. Waters	66 Years	Bedford, N. H.
May	20	Manchester, N. H.	Mary Ciman	32 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	20	Bedford, Mass.	John P. Arnos	49 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	21	Manchester, N. H.	Peter James Trenoweth	72 Years	Concord, N. H.
	21	Bedford, N. H.	Emily Hall Cook	92 Years	Jamaica Plain, Mass.
	27	Manchester, N. H.	Helen J. O'Reilly	61 Years	Southboro, Mass.
June	10	Manchester, N. H.	Gustave William Wenzel	56 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	13	Bedford, N. H.	Marie Louise Weymans	68 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	13	Bedford, N. H.	Ralph Mortimer Dukeshire	47 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	14	Goffstown, N. H.	Alfred Joseph Bisson	74 Years	Manchester, N. H.
July	1	Manchester, N. H.	Peter Gilbert Duriga	57 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	9	Manchester, N. H.	Ronald David Quinton	38 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	10	Bedford, N. H.	Herbert Spencer Allen	85 Years	Cambridge, Mass.
	17	Standish, Maine	Todd Andrew Jones	4 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	30	Bedford, N. H.	Delbert James Clapper	65 Years	Westminster, Mass.
Aug.	4	Bedford, N. H.	Robert James Morris, Sr.	50 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	6	Bedford, N. H.	Roch Methot	54 Years	Manchester, N. H.

	14	Manchester, N. H.	Charlotte Eliza Woodbury	93 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	27	Bedford, N. H.	Alfred G. Auger	71 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	27	Manchester, N. H.	Eunice Smith	81 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	30	Bedford, N. H.	Celia B. Eaton	73 Years	Goffstown, N. H.
Sept.	4	Bedford, N. H.	Catherine E. Hammond	76 Years	Concord, N. H.
	13	Manchester, N. H.	Edouard J. Blondeau	68 Years	Manchester, N. H.
	14	Bedford, N. H.	Daniel Brower Scotland	1 Year	Bedford, N. H.
	26	Manchester, N. H.	Harley D. Orr	75 Years	Piqua, Ohio
	27	Bedford, N. H.	Trajena Auclair	72 Years	Manchester, N. H.
Oct.	6	Bedford, N. H.	Marie Tremblay	74 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	22	Bedford, N. H.	Elizabeth McAllaster Childs	62 Years	Bedford, N. H.
	25	Manchester, N. H.	Mona May Crowley	75 Years	Concord, N. H.
Nov.	1	Bedford, N. H.	Edward Hubert Sinclair, III	30 Years	Everett, Mass.
	1	Bedford, N. H.	Edward Hubert Sinclair, Jr.	55 Years	Everett, Mass.
	29	Manchester, N. H.	James Freemantle	18 Hours	Columbus, Ga.
Dec.	5	Bedford, N. H.	John H. Frank	71 Years	Pine Bluff, Ark.
	7	Manchester, N. H.	Arthur Hammer	62 Years	Long Island, N. Y.
	25	Bedford, N. H.	Bertram A. Currier	69 Years	Nashua, N. H.

Non-Residents brought here for burial:

In Bedford Center Cemetery	7
In Joppa Hill Cemetery	1
In St. Joseph's Cemetery	176
In St. Hedwig Cemetery	28

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns of Births, Marriages and Deaths are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

IRENE M. HARDY, *Town Clerk*

PLEASE BRING

THIS REPORT

TO YOUR

TOWN AND SCHOOL MEETING

- IN AN EMERGENCY -

To Report a Fire

BEDFORD PHONES CALL
2-3311

MANCHESTER PHONES CALL
472-3311

To Obtain Fire Permits Call

Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., Warden - 472-3251

If no answer

Orlo D. Richardson, Deputy - 472-9787
Permits must be picked up in person

To Call Police

Bruno Vincent, Chief, 17 Woodlawn Ave. - 625-8269
Arthur F. Bostwick, Deputy Chief, North Amherst Rd. - 472-3411
Office of the Chief - 472-3020

— Special Officers —

Harry E. Reynolds, Back River Rd.	623-2053
James U. Kolenski, 7 Caron Rd.	472-3294
Dale W. Johnson, South River Rd.	627-1524
Augustin Villeneuve, County Rd.	472-3236
Walter Z. Morey, Palomino Lane	623-7145
Ernest M. Tremblay, Back River Rd.	623-4777

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

Mrs. Irene M. Hardy, No. Amherst Rd. 472-3423

Hours

Monday: 12:00 to 8:00 P.M. Tuesday: 10:00 to 12:00 A.M.
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.
Satuurday: 10:00 to 12:00 A.M.
During month of March and discount period only.

To get Local or State Police in an Emergency

Call Manchester Police Department - 624-4331

Ballard Bros., Inc.
Manchester, N. H.